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SITUATION UNCHANGED SAY THE ALLIES; BERLIN REPORTS GERMANS VICTORIOUS

British Official Press Bureau Reports German Movement Developing in Eastward and Southeastward Direction—Between 70,000 and 80,000 Russian Troops Said to Have Gone Into French Republic.

ANOTHER NAVAL ENGAGEMENT IN NORTH SEA?

Indicated by Arrival at Kiel of German Torpedo Boats in Damaged Condition—German Aeroplane Undertaking to Approach Paris Encounters French Air Craft and is Smashed—No Fighting Near Paris, Though Enemy is 25 Miles Away.

While official announcements made by the British and the French authorities last night were to the effect that there had been no change in the situation of the belligerent armies, unofficial reports said that the German right wing had been checked and forced to retire on St. Quentin, on the river Somme, thirty miles northwest of Laon.

The British official press bureau in its statement said a German movement was developing in an eastward and southeastward direction. The direct geographical location of this movement was omitted.

Further confirmation was received in New York last night that many thousands of Russian troops had gone into France to join the allies against the Germans. Their number was estimated at between 70,000 and 80,000.

Newspaper reports to London last night said the Germans were operating in the district between Alost and Termonde, Belgium, and that the latter town was being bombarded.

That another naval engagement in the North Sea has occurred seems possible from a statement issued by the London official press bureau. It said seven German torpedo boat destroyers had arrived at Kiel in a damaged condition and that others were understood to have been sunk in the "vicinity of the Kiel canal." In some quarters, however, it was suggested that the vessels may belong to the German force that was engaged in the recent fight with the British, off Helgoland.

The Russian government's statement concerning the capture of Lemberg, capital of Galicia, says that it is believed the remnant of the Austrian army left after the Russian attack no longer is of military value. Besides the thousands of men killed, wounded or made prisoners, the Russians report that they took 200 guns from the Austrians.

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander in chief, has ordered the captured territory in Austria-Hungary administered by the Russian general in command in that country.

The Bulgarian minister to Greece declares that Bulgaria has decided to maintain her neutrality until the end of the war.

A German aeroplane which tried to approach Paris is said to have been smashed by the guns of two French aviators in an aerial battle.

London, September 5.—1:05 A. M. — The Copenhagen correspondent of the Standard says: "The Germans are mourning 100,000 dead."

SEEMS TO NEGLECT PARIS,

Germans Pursuing a "Turning" Movement, Says Bordeaux.

Paris, Sept. 5.—The war office at Bordeaux late last night sent the following communication to the press bureau here:

"On our left the enemy appears to neglect Paris to pursue its turning movement. It has reached LaFerte Sous-Jouarre (department of Seine, and Marne, 11 miles east of Meaux), passed Rheims and descended on the west bank of the river, in Argonone. This manœuver has not succeeded today, more than on the preceding days.

"On our right, in Lorraine and in Vosges, the fighting proceeds with alternative fortunes. Maubeuge, which is being vilently bombarded, resists vigorously."

WITHIN 25 MILES OF PARIS.

The German "Wedge" Thursday Was Steadily Moving Forward.

London, Sept. 4.—The correspondent of The Times at Dieppe under Thursday's date indicates that the Germans is less than 25 miles from Paris. He says:

"All day yesterday the head of the wedge which now forms the German right, was fiercely fighting its way to Paris, battering the rear of the retreating French through Creil, Senlis and Crepy-En-Valois. The cannonading broke windows in Chantilly, which is only 17 miles north of Paris. The Germans are also near Soissons."

FRENCH REPORT ON SITUATION.

No Change Says Official Statement From Paris—No Fighting Near.

Paris, Sept. 4.—It is officially announced that the opposing armies "around Paris have not come in contact. They continue their movements taking positions." The statement adds:

"The Germans have been checked at Verdun. The French are successful in Lorraine and the Vosges. The situation has not changed."

BRITISH REPORT ON SITUATION.

Not Undergone Substantial Change, Say Officials.

London, Sept. 4.—The official press bureau tonight issued the following statement:

"The situation in the French theatre of war has not undergone substantial change. The position of the allies is well maintained.

"There are indications that a German movement is developing in an eastward and southeastward direction."

GERMAN REPORT ON SITUATION.

Victory Everywhere—All Forts in Northern France Taken.

New York, Sept. 4.—Wireless messages received today from Nauen, Ger-

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WAR MAY SPREAD OVER MUCH OF ASIA

May Extend to Egypt, India, Persia and the Caucasus.

IF TURKEY ENTERS FIELD

In Addition to Italy and the Balkans —Intimations Have Come to Many European Diplomats in Washington—Eye on Japan.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Intimations have come to many European diplomats in Washington that hostilities may extend not only to Italy and the Balkans should Turkey enter the field, but to the Caucasus, Persia, Egypt and India as well.

In such event the presence of Japanese troops and fleets in Western Asia to assist England in India or Persia, would not be surprising, according to diplomats representing the allied powers.

While Japan has confined her present operations against Germany to Kiao-Chow and the China seas, the spirit of the Anglo-Japanese alliance, it was said, might lead her to extend a helping hand to her ally elsewhere in Asia.

A Rustem Dey, Turkish ambassador here, made public a cablegram from his government which he interpreted as conclusive evidence of the Porte's intention to remain neutral, but his views were not shared by dipolmats concerning the allies. The latter are confident that Italy is merely delaying an announcement while completing military preparations. The Turkish ambassadors cable was as follows:

"By virtue of the neutrality we have declared, the military authorities have received orders to insure the ligerent vessels taking refuge in our ligarent vessels taking refuge in our ports."

The ambassador showed Secretary Bryan the message assuring him that Americans would be safe.

"There is no danger to Americans and there could be no fear on that subject" said the Secretary afterwards.

The ambassador later admitted that if Turkey entered the conflict on the side of Germany and Austria, she would make her operations as extensive as possible in British and Russian possessions. He thought it not unlikely in such event that Egypt might be invaded. He felt certain Bulgaria would stand by Turkey but said he did not know about Roumania. Greece has her army mobilized ready to strike at Turkey.

Allies Surveying Field.

While Turkey is delaying action, the

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THIRTY-ONE FOOD DEALERS INDICTED

By Federal Grand Jury Under the Sherman Law.

PRICE-FIXING CHARGED

Attorney General Gregory Says in Case of Convictions, Prison Sentences Will be Insisted Upon — No Fines Would be Adequate.

Washington, Sept. 4. — Thirty-one food dealers were indicted here today by a Federal grand jury, under the Sherman law, on counts charging price-fixing. It was the first big development in the investigation the Department of Justice is conducting at the direction of President Wilson against food dealers who are alleged to have seized upon the European war as a pretext to increase the cost of living.

All the indicted men are local produce dealers or commission merchants. No nationally known firm was indicted. At the department it was said that government agents were working in many States for evidence of price-fixing and were expected to make reports soon which officials hoped would be the basis of other indictments. Attorney General Gregory said:

"Under conditions now existing throughout the world, capitalization of misfortune and oppression of our own people by the arbitrary increase of the prices of food stuffs are so peculiarly reprehensible that, whenever convictions can be obtained, the government will insist upon sentences of imprisonment; no fine or no civil remedy will be deemed adequate.

"United States attorneys are being instructed promptly to ask for indictments whenever the facts will permit, to push these to early trial, and, upon convictions to insist upon prison sentences.

"It must, of course, be remembered that, without the District of Columbia, only those agreements and combinations which affect directly inter-State or foreign commerce can be reached. As to other matters, State statutes must be relied upon."

The men indicted here today are charged with having fixed prices every day by "ballots," "suggestions," or verbal agreement, and to have circulated price lists which completely eliminated a competitive makret for food. That is alleged to be an unlawful restraint of trade prohibited by the Sherman anti-trust law between the States and in Federal districts. The penalty on conviction is a year's imprisonment or a $5,000 fine or both.

Bench warrants were issued for all the indicted men and bail was given for their appearance in court.

TENNESSEE TO ACT AS FERRY OVER CHANNEL

Cruiser to Bring Americans Out of France

Brought 300 Refugees From Havre to Weymouth Yesterday and Will Bring Another Load Today—Passengers.

London, Sept. 4.—The failure of Southampton port officials to advise officers of the American cruiser Tennessee that she could dock there was responsible for the unexpected landing of the cruiser at Weymouth today with 300 refugees from Havre. Application for permission to dock the cruiser at Southampton had been made, but no answer was received.

The Tennessee now has been ordered to act as a ferry from Havre to England until all Americans have been transferred. The cruiser will bring a still larger crowd of Americans from Havre to England tomorrow, probably landing at Weymouth.

Americans brought across the channel by the Tennessee today adopted resolutions thanking the officers of the warship for their attention. Officers surrendered their rooms to the women and matresses and blankets were provided on the deck for the men.

About 1,000 Americans left Havre today. There is much uneasiness in Havre because of the fear that regular steamer sailings from Southampton may be discontinued. Many of the Tennessee's passengers remained in Weymouth hotels.

The Tennessee passengers stated that German airships have been seen over many French cities. They said there were numerous delays of trains near the outside Paris forts because of the preparations for defense and the tearing down of houses to make way for clear gun fire from the outside fortifications.

Paris, Sept. 4.—Americans residing in Paris are registering themselves and their property at the American embassy as a precautionary measure [illegible]

SAYS THE PRESIDENT HAS SET AMERICA FREE

To Legislate Without Fear of Destroying Business.

The Biggest Achievement of the Wilson Administration, According to Secretary Daniels in a Speech at Bar Harbor.

Bar Harbor, Me., Sept. 4.—Declaring that President Wilson and the Democratic Congress had kept all platform promises, Secretary of the Navy Daniels, in a compaign speech here tonight, added that the President had set America free to legislate without fear.

"Greater than the tariff law itself, greater than the currency law itself, greater than all the needed construction legislation of the record-making administration," said Mr. Daniels, "looms up this fact: that the people may legislate without any longer fearing that our business is going to be checked or our prosperity destroyed. The right to enact such laws as they concsive is best for them at last has been restored to them.

"Under Wilson the ideals of Jefferson's first inaugural have been released. Business no longer strangles government, privilege no longer holds it up on the highway and rifles its pockets."

Mr. Daniels took up legislative measures successfully urged by the administration and said: "Privilege", had mobilized its lobby against them "with the rapidity of European corps. The propaganda of fear," he said, "was worked to the limit.

"Certainly whatever else can be said," declared Mr. Daniels, "nobody can say that either the President or Congress has drawn upon themselves that anathema 'the Almighty hates a quitter.' On the very night the President signed the tariff bill he said: 'We have only taken one step,' and summoned the Congress to go forward with the next step—the currency legislation. He did not pause a day or even think of quitting and has been the record in every step of administrative policy since the fourth of March, 1913."

ASQUITH APPEALS FOR MORE FORCES

He Urges Every Able-Bodied Briton to Join Colors.

POINTS TO THE NAVY

Describes the Empire as Involved in Bloody Arbitrament of Might Vs. Right—Points to Records of Men of Past.

London, Sept. 4.—Premier Asquith today made the first of a series of appeals for an increase of the British land forces. At a meeting at Guild Hall he described the Empire as involved in a bloody arbitrament of Might versus Right and urged every able bodied Briton of military age to join the colors.

The navy, the Premier indicated, already was doing its part. It had sealed up the fleet of Germany, he said, and was thirsty for a trial of strength in the open.

British warships, Mr. Asquith said, had hunted the German merchant marine from the high seas and when the few German cruisers which still infested the distant ocean had been disposed of, as they would be very soon, the navy would have achieved for British and neutral commerce a security as complete as it ever had enjoyed in days of unbroken peace.

Praise for the Navy.

"We rely upon the navy," he said, "with the most absolute confidence to guard our shores against the possibility of invasion and to seal up the gigantic battleships of the enemy in inglorious seclusion of their own ports whence from time to time they steal forth to sow the sea with murderous snares which are more full of menace to the neutral shipping than to the British fleet; and while the British navy does all this it is thirsty for a trial of strength in a fair and open fight which is so far prudently denied it."

Referring to affairs at home, the Premier made an appeal to non-commissioned officers to return to the army and offer their services. The Premier said his appeal was addressed as much to employers as to the men who should be assured reinstatement in their positions on their return.

As to the progress of the war, the Premier declared that in his judgment in whatever direction he looked he saw abundant ground for pride and comfort.

"Protracted Struggle."

"I will not say more," said he, "because I think we should bear in mind that we are at the present time watching the fluctuations of fortune in the early stages of what is going to be a protracted struggle. We must cultivate patience, endurance and steadfastness and every one must do his or her appropriate part in the common cause.

"Our self governing dominions throughout the Empire, without any solicitation on our part, demonstrated with a spontaneousness and unanimity unparalleled in history their determination to affirm their brotherhood with us and to make our cause their own. Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and New Foundland, children of the Empire, assert, not as an obligation, but as a privilege, their right and their willingness to contribute money and material and what is better than all, their strength, their sinews, their fortunes and the lives of their best men. India, too, with no less alacrity claimed her part.

"Let us keep in mind our patient and indominatable seamen, never relaxing for a moment their stern vigil on the lonely seas. Let us keep in mind our gallant troops who toward after a 40 days continuous fighting under conditions which try the mettle of the best army that ever took the field, maintain not only an undefeated but an unbroken front.

"Finally, let us recall the memories of the great men and the great history of the past.

"Let us not forget the dying message of Young Pitt in his last public utterance in this Guild Hall itself: 'England has saved herself by her exertions, and will, as I trust, save Europe by her example'.

"The generals of those days gave a noble answer to his appeal and did not sheathe the sword until after nearly 20 years fighting the freedom of Europe was secured. Let us go and do likewise."

ALL GAMES CANCELLED.

Events in France and Asquith's Appeal Give Impetus to Recruiting.

London, Sept. 4.—Events in Northern France and the campaign started by Premier Asquith and other leaders have given immense impetus to recruiting. Officers predict that Lord Kitchener soon will have the half million men he desires.

Cricketers, football players and other athletes have cancelled all games and are flocking to the colors. The association of Rugby football organizations has cancelled all matches, most of the players having joined the forces. Every player on last year's international team is serving in English army or navy or is in training for the service.

Every Salvation Army corps in the country has contributed its quota of men of the army or navy and other members of the organization have volunteered for Red Cross work.

MERCHANT MARINE BILL

House Committee Amendments of Congerence Agreement.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Amernfents to the administration Merchant Marine bill, agreed on at a recent conference, were adopted today by the House Merchant Marine committee. Ships bought by the government company would be available as naval auxiliaries. Vessels at present in the navy and under the control of the Panama railroad company, which might be available for merchant trade would be turned over to the new shipping company.

PRESIDENT'S APPEAL BRINGS QUICK ACTION

Following Mr. Wilson's Address to Congress, Urging Emergency Legislation to Raise $100,000,000 Annually Additional Internal Revenue, Democratic Committee Members Meet and Begin Work on Plans.

Washington, Sept. 4.—"We shall pay the bill, though we did not deliberately incur it," said President Wilson today, presenting before a joint session of Congress his appeal for an emergency internal revenue measure to raise $100,000,000, the Government's probable loss in customs receipts because of the European war. Prompt action was necessary, the President said, to "keep the Treasury strong." His only suggestion as to the method for levying the tax was that sources be chosen that would begin to yield at once and "yield with a certain and constant flow."

The appeal met with quick action. As soon as the President had left the House chamber amidst an outburst of applause, Speaker Clark referred the message to the Ways and Means committee. Democratic members of the committee met tonight at the call of the chairman, Representative Underwood, and began consideration of plans to raise the additional revenue. Various members suggested sources which they believed would be properly subjected to additional taxation. On the list suggested were:

Gasoline, a tax of one or two cents a gallon; railroad and amusement tickets, a tax of five to 10 per cent; beer, an increase of 50 cents a barrel; domestic wines, whiskey, an increase of 15 cents a gallon; proprietary articles, tobacco and tobacco products; chewing gum, soft drinks, playing cards.

The proposal to tax railroad tickets was not received with enthusiasm by members of the committee, although it was estimated that a 5 per cent tax would raise $40,000,000.

Chairman Underwood said the articles suggested would be gone over and a list of taxable articles agreed on by elimination. This list would be submitted to the Treasury Department probably early next week. When the bill is completed in committee it probably will be brought into the House under a special rule and hurried through.

President Wilson was given an enthusiastic greeting when he entered the House chamber escorted by Senators Kern, Clarke and Gallinger and Representatives Underwood, Fitzgerald and Mann. The President said he had come to discharge a duty he wished he could avoid, but made it plain that additional revenue was necessary and that he performed his duty without hesitation or apology.

Unforeseen conditions occasioned by the conflict in Europe, he said, had created conditions which, unless dealt with promptly, might involve consequences of the "most embarrassing and deplorable sort." To borrow money, the President urged, was unwise, bond issues would make an untimely and unjustifiable demand upon money markets, leaving taxation as the only method left to raise revenue. In this situation he appealed to the "profoundly patriotic people of the country", to take up the burden.

The President said:

The President said the Treasury could get along for a considerable period despite falling customs revenues without additional taxation, but pointed out that if new revenue legislation were not enacted it might be necessary to withdraw from the National banks the $75,000,000 Treasury balance deposited with them. He advised against the government borrowing money or selling bonds and appealed to the "intelligent and profoundly patriotic public" to bear the burden of a special tax.

The President said:

Text of the Message.

"I come to you today to discharge a duty which I wish with all my heart I might have been spared, but it is a duty which is very clear, and therefore I perform it without hesitation or apology. I come to ask very earnestly that additional revenue be provided for the government.

"During the month of August there was, as compared with the corresponding month of last year, a falling off of $10,629,538 in the revenues collected from customs. A continuation of this decrease in the same proportion throughout the current fiscal year would probably mean a loss of customs revenues of from sixty to one hundred millions. I need not tell you to what this falling off is due. Conditions have arisen which no man foresaw; they affect the whole world of commerce and economic production; and they must be faced and dealt with.

"It would be very unwise to postpone dealing with them. It would be very dangerous in the present circumstances to create a moment's doubt as to the strength and sufficiency of the Treasury of the United States; its ability to assist, to steady and sustain the financial operations of the country's business.

"If the Treasury is known, or even thought to be weak, where will be our peace of mind? The whole industrial activity of the country would be chilled and demoralized. Just now the peculiarly difficult financial problem of the moment are being successfully dealt with, with great self-possession and good sense and very sound judgment; but they are only in progress of being worked out. If the process of solution is to be completed, no one must be given reason to doubt the solidity and adequacy of the Treasury of the government which stands behind the whole method by which our difficulties are being met and handled.

Could Get Along, But—

"The Treasury itself could get along for a considerable period, no doubt, without immediate resort to new sources of taxation. But at what cost to the business of the community? Approximately $75,000,000, a large part of the present Treasury balance, is now on deposit with National banks distributed throughout the country. I need not point out to you what the probable consequences of inconvenience and distress and confusion would be if the diminishing income of the Treasury should make it necessary rapidly to withdraw these deposits. Such risks are not necessary and ought not to be run. We cannot too scrupulously or carefully safeguard a financial situation which is at best, while war continues in Europe, difficult and abnormal.

"And we ought not to borrow. We ought to resort to taxation, however we may regret the necessity of putting additional temporary burdens on our people. To sell bonds would be to make a most untimely and unjustifiable demand on the money market; untimely, because this is manifestly not the time to withdraw working capital from other uses to pay the government's bills; unjustifiable, because unnecessary.

"The country is able to pay any just and reasonable taxes without distress. The people of this country are both intelligent and profoundly patriotic. They are ready to meet the present conditions in the right way and to support the government with generous self-denial.

"In order to meet every demand upon the Treasury without delay or peradventure, and in order to keep the Treasury strong, unquestionably strong, throughout the present anxieties, I respectfully urge that an additional revenue of $100,000,000 be raised through internal taxes devised in your wisdom to meet the emergency. The only suggestion I take the liberty of making is that such sources of revenue be chosen as will begin to yield at once and yield with a certain and constant flow.

"I cannot close without expressing the confidence with which I approach a Congress, with regard to this or any other matter, which has shown so untiring a devotion to public duty, which has responded to the needs of the nation throughout a long session despite inevitable fatigue and personal sacrifice, and so large a proportion of members have devoted their whole time and energy to the business of the country."

WANTS PRESIDENT WILSON TO ASK GERMAN EMPEROR

For Declaration of His Intentions Regarding The Hague Agreements Signed in His Behalf, and Which He Has "Shamelessly Disregarded" — London Spectator Deems it the Duty of American Government.

London, Sept. 4.—The Spectator discussing German operations at Louvain, says:

"We venture to take this opportunity of again suggesting that President Wilson should approach the German Emperor and ask him for a plain declaration of what his intentions are with regard to all the treaties signed in his behalf at The Hague. Those agreements have been shamolessly disregarded so that no earnest man can place any trust in German promises."

The newspaper says that Englishmen, no matter what Emperor William's answer might be, would have no thought of reprisals, adding that there must be no policy of an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth.

"Here is Mr. Wilson's opportunity," The Spectator continues. "The United States is strictly neutral—as honestly neutral toward Germany, we are sure, as towards ourselves—but she is the only neutral great power except Italy left outside the orbit of war. We earnestly hope that Mr. Wilson, finding himself in this position,—particularly since he represents a nation deeply committed to the principles of The Hague—will boldly ask the German Emperor to declare his intentions.

"Mr. Wilson can act where no one else could, as the spokesman of civilization and of human rights.

"The question to be put to the German Emperor could be asked in a manner that would admit of no misunderstanding or evasion.

"Does the German Emperor repudiate the German convention and—perhaps even more binding—the common understanding of Europe that has grown up in the last 300 years? Does he repudiate all The Hague conventions?

"We ought to know. In our opinion the United States owes it to civilization to find out for the rest of the world."

HOW LEMBERG WAS TAKEN BY RUSSIANS

Account of Fighting Which Led to Its Capture.

IN OFFICIAL STATEMENT

Account Given by Russian General Staff of Capture of Capital of Galicia,—Means Much for the Czar's Campaign.

Petrograd, (St. Petersburg) via London, Sept. 4.—The Russian general staff today issued the following account of the fighting which led to the capture of Lemberg, capital of Galicia:

"In the offensive against the Lublin-Kholm front the main Austrian forces deployed on the Zavichost, Tanoff, Bielgoray, Tomachoff and Belz Line. The second Austrian army, comprising the third, eleventh and twelfth corps and five division of cavalry, gathered east of Lemberg to cover this operation.

"When the Russian troops were taking the offensive the Austrian concentration had not been completed and topographical considerations compelled the enemy to reinforce this army still more with the troops of the seventh, thirteenth and fourteenth corps, thus making a total of twelve divisions, and several brigades of the Landstrum.

"Our troops crossed the frontier August 20th and marched on Lemberg to thwart the Austrian covering movement as to act against the flank of the enemy. This offensive was hamper ed by nummerous affluents of the Dniester river. Moreover the enemy possessed on the Dniester a series of fortifications destined to defend bridges from which they menaced the Russian left flank and communications with Russia.

"In the period between August 17th and September 3rd, the Russian left wing advanced about 147 miles, fighting all the time.

"The bulk of the hostile forces, entrenched in powerful positions at Kamanka and Galitch, offered battle and were thoroughly defeated in a desperate contest.

"Between August 31 and September 1, in one district of the upper course of the Guilpa Lipa alone, where the enemy's line was broken, the Austrians lost 1,200 in killed or wounded.

"The retreat of the enemy after his defeate at Lemberg was a disorderly flight and panic, and the Russian a took 200 guns, and tens of thousands of prisoners. It is believed the remnant of the second Austrian airmy is now no longer of any military value.

"On September 2nd ,when the Russians were drawing up within cannon shot of Lemberg the surrounding forts did not stop this advance. The same day Lemberg was closely surrounded by Russian troops and was captured with enormous quantities of war materials. All the buildings in town were packed with Austrian wounded who had been abandoned in the enemy's headling flight.

"Besides the political and military importance of Lemberg as the center of Galicia, its capture is important strategically, as it constitutes a great railway junction, commanding the lines leading to the rear of the Austrian army which is now halted in line with Opole, Gamostie and Belz.

"The capture of Lemberg will enable the Russian army to push forward with still greater intensity."

Lasted Seven Days.

Bordeaux, via Paris, Sept. 4.—Details of the Russian victory at Lembery were given to cabinet council today by the foreign minister who said the battle had lasted seven days; that the Austrians then had retreated, abondoning numerous field guns, rifles and ammunition and that the Russians took thousands of prisoners. President Poincare presided over the council.

STRIPPED OF ARMAMENT.

American Liner Will Not Carry Guns When She Sails Again.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4.—The American liner Merion, which arrived Tuesday with four 6-inch guns mounted on her decks will be stripped of her armament before she sails tomorrow on the return to Liverpool.

On the advice of the British ambassador at Washington it was decided today to land the guns and place them in care of the Philadelphia navy yard until such time as they may be returned to England.

Washington officials whose attention had been called to the armament of the Merion have not made a decision in the case and as the vessel will carry passengers it was decided to disarm her rather than postpone the date fixed for sailing.

The steamship Adriatic, another American liner, was permitted to sail from New York yesterday with a similar armament after permission had been received from the Federal authorities.

DR. H. J. STOCKARD IS DESPERATELY ILL

Was Not Expected Last Night to Live Until Morning.

(Sepcial Star Telegram)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 4.—Dr. Henry Jerome Stockard is desperately ill at his home here and is scarcely expected to survive through the night. His son, Albert Stockard, has arrived from Wilmington and two daughters, Mrs. Arthur Wilson and Mrs. Thomas Moore, of Chattanooga, have been summoned.

Dr. Stockard is an author of wide reputation and has been head of the English department of Peace Institute many years, and was president of Peace two years. He has been in failing health several months.

DAIRYMEN INDICTED.

Charged With Perpetrating a Fraud Against the Government.

Columbus, O., Sept. 4.—What Federal officials declare is one of the biggest frauds of its kind ever perpetrated on the government, was charged in grand jury indictments returned here today against six officials and employes of the Capital City Dairy Company, of Columbus, and the company as a corporation. It is alleged the company made and sold artificially colored oleomargerine during the last three years representing it to collectors as uncolored and paying only a tax of 1-4c a pound instead of ten cents a pound on colored product.

WILL PROCEED AT ONCE WITH THE ORGANIZATION

Of the Twelve Reserve Banks of The New System.

Announcement by Federal Reserve Board Following All-Day Conference With Leading Bankers of the Country.

Washington, Sept. 4.—After an all-day conference with clearing house delegates from many large cities, the Federal Reserve Board announced tonight it would proceed immediately with the organization of the 12 reserve banks provided for by the new currency system. It generally is accepted the system can be put in operation about October 1st. The actual opening may be delayed, but it was said the 12 banks would be ready to do business within the next six weeks.

According to members of the board, there was little hostility shown at the conference to early opening of the new system, and government officials hope all opposition by bankers will be overcome before the time of opening arrives.

The conference was confined closely to the question of opening and to a discussion of foreign and domestic exchange situation. Delegates furnished such information as they possessed, but left the board without much concrete knowledge as to the exact situation throughout the country. A committee was named to consider foreign and domestic exchange and formulate a plan by which American obligations to Europe can be adjusted without taking gold out of the country.

There was some incidental discussion of the general financial situation and of the recent steps taken by the Treasury Department to issue additional bank currency. In consequence of the meeting there will be no effort on the part of the reserve board to name the class "C" directors for the reserve banks for some time. Every other step which must precede the opening of the banks will be laid out before the directors are announced.

Following is the conference exchange committee: J. B. Forgan, Chicago, chairman; B. F. Strong, New York; L. L. Rue, Philadelphia; Sol. Wexler, New Orleans; T. B. Beale, Boston.

Republican Opposition Heard.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Vigorous opposition was voiced by Republican Senators today to an amendment to the Federal Reserve Act called up by Chairman Owen of the banking committee, which would permit National Bank Association to issue circulating notes based on commercial paper up to 75 instead of 30 per cent of their unimpaired capital and surplus.

Several amendments to this proposal were offered and it finally was decided to postpone discussion until Wednesday. Senator Owen will discuss the proposed amendments with reserve board members in the meantime.

WAR MAY SPREAD OVER MUCH OF ASIA

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allies are surveying the field, it is believed looking forward to joint operations with Japan in the Persian gulf, while the Mediterranean fleets of the allies direct their attention to Turkish ports on the western coast of Asia Minor.

The situation, it is believed already has caused Japan to consult Great Britain as to possible quarters other than Chia.

At the Japanese embassy, it was said today that, strictly speaking, the Anglo-Japanese alliance did not obligate Japan to send troops to protect British interests in India or Persia yet. Veiled references in a dispatch from Tokia that thousands of Japanse troops had been embarked on transports and that many observers thought they were going to F rance have aroused some speculation here. Some thought is unlikely that shrouded in the mystery of the strict censorship Japan even now may be preparing for extensive movements in Western Asia.

The possibility of an attack by Turkey on Persia as a blow at both Russia and England, who have repeated their protection over that state was discussed among diplomats as a likely consequence of a declaration of war by the Porte.

Incidentally, the landing of Japanese troops on Chinese territory has awakened no diplomatic apprehension among administration officials who are confident no hostility to China is intended. At the Japanese embassy the view is taken that Japan has as much right to pass through Chinese territory as the Germans had to march through Belgium, though China has removed complications by deciding not to oppose the march.

BURTON CONTINUES ATTACK.

Spends Several Hours Speaking Against R. and H. Bill.

Washington, Sept. 4.—For many hours again today Senator Burton continued his attack on what he characterized as the "climax of waste" in the $53,000,000 river and harbora bill. Showing no signs of yielding in his filibuster against the measure, the Ohio Senator assailed item after item. Projects in many sections of the country, he asserted, were proposed merely to antagonize railroad competition.

"You would erect monuments of folly," said Senator Burton, "in the shape of locks and dams just to make railroads lower rates in certain localities, forgetting that as you force lower rates in one section, you are forcing increased rates in another section where there is no water competition. Such policy is a waste of government money."

SHIPS FROM CHILE.

To Fly the American Flag—Proposition Studied.

Santiago, Chile, Sept. 4.—Commercial and financial circles are studying the possibility of replacing maritime traffic suspended by the war with ships flying the Chilean or the United States flag. The government also is studying facilities to further this project. Official circles are expressing wonder because the United States has not named an ambassador to Chile, although the Chilean government passed a bill two months ago naming an ambassador to Washington.

GENERAL CONVENTION IN MEXICO OCT. 1ST.

To Name Date for General Election to Be Held

Council of War Will Sift Charges Against Huerta and Extradition Proceedings May Follow. Barbarities.

Mexico City, Sept. 4.—October 1st is the date fixed today by General Carranza for a general convention in accordance with the plan of Guadaloupe and the compact of Torreon. At that time governors of the various states, military commanders and one legate for every 1,000 men under arms, will meet here to name the day for the general election and decided on platform reforms.

Many houses are being searched for arms and numerous arrests nave been made.

A council of war has been called to sift charges against former President Huerta and his associates with the view of gathering evidence upon which to base extradition proceedings. Gen. Huerta now is at Santander, Spain.

The bodies of 35 men, who were executed, were exhumed today in one cemetery at Tlalpam, 11 miles from Mexico City. The authorities say they have evidence of many more summary executions. They claim the truth regarding these barbarrities would shock the world.

WAR BULLETINS

Ostend, Belgium, Sept. 4. via London—The advance of the German right wing is reported checked. The Germans have been obliged to retire on St. Quentin.

Paris, Sept. 4.—A Haves Agency dispatch from Athens says that the Bulgarian minister to Greece has assured the government that Bulgaria has decided to maintain the strictest neutrality until the end of the war.

Paris, Sept. 4.—The following official announcement was made this evening: "The movement of the opposing armies outside Paris continued without any attempt having been made today by the enemy against our various positions."

London, Sept. 4.—A dispatch from Ostend says it is announced there that the Germans are bombarding Termond, Dendermonde, a fortified town of Belgium near Ghent. The town has a population of about 10,000.

London, Sept. 4.—The official information bureau has issued a statement saying: "According to information derived from a trustworthy source, seven German destroyers and torpede boats have arrived at Kiel in a damaged condition, and it is understood that others have been sunk in the vicinity of the Kiel canal."

London, Sept. 4.—In a dispatch from Rouen, France, a correspondent of the Chronicle says he has learned that the French authorities in Paris are considering the surrender of the city to the Germans in order to avoid the destruction of property from artillery fire.

Bordeaux, France, Sept. 4. via London—The Petite Gironde says that when a German aeroplane tried to approach Paris today it was attacked near Vincennes by two French airmen. The French aviators sent a charge of grape shot into the wings of the machine, smashing it.

Paris, Sept. 4.—Crowds again today gathered in all the open places in the city watching for the customary appearance of a German aeroplane, but none appeared. A French airman went up and maneuvered over the Place de L'Opera several times.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Ambassador Page at Rome advised the State Department today that the steamer Re D'Italia sailed from Naples September 3rd with 28 Americans aboard. The steamer Infanta Isabel with American refugees from Cadiz and Barcelona is due in New York tomorrow, according to advices from Spain.

FINAL STEP TAKEN.

To Open Foreign Built Ships to American Registry.

Washington, Sept. 4.—The final step in opening American registry to foreign built merchant craft was taken at the White House tonight when President Wilson signed an executive order suspending from operation sections of the navigation laws as authorized by the new registry bill. These require American watch officers on American ships and that inspection and measurement for registry shall be made by United States officers.

The main insurance bureau was open for business today, and it was expected applicants for change of register and for war risk protection would follow quickly on the signing of the suspension order. Several American companies which operate fleets of foreign register steamers have signified their intention of flying the American flag hereafter. Their ships number more than 200.

IS APPOINTED PAPAL SECRETARY OF STATE.

Cardinal Dominic Ferrata Chosen for Higher Duties.

Rome, Sept. 4.—It was announced officially today that Cardinal Dominic Ferrata has been appointed papal secretary of state.

Cardinal Dominic Ferrata, newly appointed papal secretary of state, was born in 1847 at Montefiascorne, Italy. His work as papal nuncio at Paris and as prefect of the congregation of Bishops in Rome stamped hi mas a finished diplomat. He presided over the Eucharistic Congress last year at Malta.

In 1901 when the late Cardinal Rompolla resigned as papal secretary of state, Cardinal Ferrata was mentioned as a probable candidate for the office.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Revolutionists in Haiti evacuated Ouanamin the, on the night of September 2nd, and government troops have occupied the city, according to advices late today to the State Department.

SITUATION UNCHANGED SAY THE ALLIES; BERLIN SAYS GERMAN VICTORY

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many, by Count Von Bernstorff, German ambassador to the United States, stated that the Austrian center had completely defeated the Russians; that all forts in Northern France had been taken without a struggle and that the French retreat continued.

The messages, as received at the Sayville, L. I., wireless station, were garbled and could not be fully read. The intelligible portions read as follows:

"The Austrian center completely defeated the Russians, taking 180 guns. The Austrian right wing near Lemberg, struggling against superior Russian troops, was relieved.

"All French forts in Northern France were taken without a fight. Only Maubeuge holds out. German cavalry and artillery make rides (probably raids) as far as Paris. The German army has crossed the Aisne and is advancing on the Marne, where already siege guns arrived, the French army retreating near Verdun.

"The victory of General Hintendurg's army is increasing every day. Number of Russian prisoners now 90,000.

"A memorial of the German Catholic cardinals to the conclave at Rome attacks foreign lies about the German army. Germany is at war, not for conquest, but Russia was a real aggressor, and a Russian victory would do the greatest harm to Catholics in Russian Poland.

"The town hall at Louvain was not hurt, likewise St. Peters' church and all treasures were saved."

GERMAN REVERSES REPORTED.

Fail in Attempt to Envelop Left Wing of the Allies.

London, Sept. 4.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Antwerp, reaching here by way of Ostend, says that it seems that the attempt of the Germans to envelop the left wing of the allies has been frustrated.

A big force of German cavalry advancing on Campeigne has been repulsed and obliged to abandon several pieces of artillery.

The correspondent says: "It is learned on good authority that the advance movement of the German right wing has been checked for the last two days under pressure from the left wing of the allies. The enemy has been compelled to retire on St. Quentin. A big force of German cavalry that was advancing on Campeign was vigorously repulsed and forced to abandon several pieces of artillery. It appears that the attempt to envelop the allies' left wing was frustrated."

NO FIGHTING AROUND PARIS.

Movements of Opposing Forces Continue Without Contact.

Paris, Sept. 4.—An official communication issued by the military government of Paris this afternoon says:

"The movements of the opposing armies near Paris are being continued without contact taking place. In the district of Verdun the German forces have sustained some checks. In Lorraine and the Vosges our troops won fresh partial successes. The general situation is little changed."

GERMANS AT HOME CONFIDENT.

Berlin is Permanently Decked With Flags, Says Report.

Berlin, Sept. 4.—(By Wireless to the Associated Press), via Sayville, L. I.—Berlin is permanently decked with flags. Confidence prevails that nothing can stay the victorious advance of the western armies. Major Moraht, the military expert of the Tageblatt, expects the armies of Duke Albrecht and the Crown Prince will soon reach Chalons and Verdun, which can be easily masked without delaying the advance.

GERMANS ENTER SWITZERLAND.

To Escape Capture by the French—Report Unconfirmed.

London, Sept. 4.—Telegraphing from Rome, the correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph says that a message received there from Basel, Switzerland, declares that an unconfirmed report has come into Basel from Berne setting forth that Gen. Lieut. Von Deimling and the German forces under his command have crossed into Switzerland to prevent their capture by the French.

RUSSIAN TROOPS IN BELGIUM

American Saw Train Loads on Way Through England.

New York, Sept. 4.—Further corroboration of reports that Russia has landed troops on Belgian soil by way of England and Scotland reached New York today when Dr. Daniel Elliott, of Newark, N. J., a passenger on the steamship Cedric, declared he witnessed a movement of troop trains conveying Russians through England. The Cedric arriving f rom Liverpool with 1,460 passengers, including many American refugees.

Dr. Elliott estimated the number of the Russians at more than 70,000 and declared they had come by way of Northern Scotland and were on their way to the English channel to embark for the continent.

Passengers who arrived on the Mauretania from Liverpool yesterday brought the information concerning the reported transportation of Russians to Belgium by way of British territory and mail advices from London today told of 80,000 Russian troops having reached France.

REVOLUTIONS BREWING

To Break Out in Bosnia, Herzegovina, Hungary and Bohemia.

London, Sept. 4.—A dispatch to Reuters Telegram Company from Rome dated September 3rd says:

"According to a report f rom Servia, the secret Servian society 'Naroda Obrana,' is preparing a revolutionary movement in Bosnia and Herzegovina (Austrian Provinces) which will break out simultaneously with similar movements in Bohemia and Hungary."

FOR RELIEF OF AMERICANS

Cables From Paris and Havre Tell of Situation in France.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Assistant Secretary Breckinridge, of the War Department, who is distributing relief funds to Americans in Europe cabled the War Department tonight from Paris this message:

"Col. Allen and I arrived in Paris on the morning of September 4th. Maj. Logan and Mr. Dodge follow from Geneva today. It is impossible to state the exact number of Americans still in Paris, but it is estimated there are between 1,000 and 2,000. They are being sent out as fast as possible. Americans are still coming into Paris from the southern Provinces and also a few from Switzerland."

From Havre, Consul Osbourne cabled the State Department tonight:

"The cruiser Tennessee it at Havre preparing to embark 500 Americans from England. Special trains are arriving daily from Paris bringing about 500 Americans to the train making the congestion here very great. The steamship Touraine sailed September 3rd with as many passengers as possible. No Americans are in danger."

NO LIQUOR AFTER 11 P. M.

Saloons in London Must Close Early After Monday.

London, Sept. 4.—The licensing authority of London has decided that, after Monday next all saloons must be closed at 11 P. M. The order was made as a result of a request by the military authorities. The question of club bars will be dealt with later. Restaurants will be allowed to remain open as usual for the sale of food only.

PRAYERS FOR SUCCESS ORDERED

For Austro-German Arms, in All Turkish Mosques.

London, Sept. 4.—A dispatch to the Evening Standard from Paris says it is learned that the Vienna papers have received a telegram from Contantinople stating that prayers for the success of the Austro-German army have been ordered in all the Turkish mosques. The correspondent adds that this is beleived to be the first time on record that Moslems have offered prayers fo rthe benefit of Christians.

WILL RETURN CARGOES

Britian Will Reimburse American Shippers for Goods Taken.

Washington, Sept. 4.—The British government has taken steps to return promptly to American shippers cargoes captured aboard German steamers. Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador delivered to Secretary Bryan today the following note expressing the attitude of his government:

"In order to prevent loss to subjects of neutral powers and to encourage continuance of trade His Majesty's government has taken steps to set free expeditiously and without reference to prize court as many cargoes as possible, even though in some cases cargoes may be liable in law to condemnation as a prize. An executive committee with full powers to deal with such cases has been appointed."

Cargoes referred to were those aboard German ships en route when war was declared. About 150 such ships have been captured.

Secretary Bryan expressed satisfaction over the arrangement made by the British government.

REPORT IS DENIED

That Armenians Had Refused to Serve Under Turkish Colors.

New York, Sept 4.—Djelal Bey, Ottoman, consul general at New York, late sian reports that Armenians had refused to serve under Turkish colors and that fighting between Armenians and Turks had occurred. The statement reads:

"Another rumor emanating from St. Petersburg that Armenians and Kurds who have been called to the colors in Turkey have refused to serve, has no foundation and a further statement that has been published saying that an armed clash has taken place at some place unnamed between Turks and Armenians is equally unfounded. There is no reason to believe that any such disorders have taken place in any part of Turkey."

GERMAN GIRL SPY CAUGHT

Had Plans of All Roads Around Paris With Her.

London, Sept. 4.—A dispatch to Reuters Telegram company from Dieppe says:

"A German woman spy was arrested yesterday by English soldiers on the bridge over the Oise river at LaCroix. In her possession were the plans of all roads and bridges around Paris. She appeared to be about 17 years old.

"A German spy dressed in an English uniform was caught the same day and shot by an English officer because he made a gesture as if to take something out of his pocket instead of obeying an order to throw up his hands."

LIEUT. COL. BRETT KILLED

Bristish Military Officer With Record Already Made.

London, Sept. 4.—The war office tonight issued another list giving the names of officers killed, wounded or missing in the fighting in France. One name is that of Lieutenant Colonel C. H. Brett, D. S. O. (distinguished service order) of the Suffolf regiment.

Including in the list are juior officers of the Cold Stream Guards and other crack regiments.

Lieutenant Colonel C. A. H. Brett was a veteran of the Hazara (British India) expedition of the South African war. In the latter campaign he was mentioned in dispatches for gallantry. He was wounded severely in action and received the distinguished Service Order medal with three clasps. He was born in 1868, the son of Lieutenant Colonel Arthur Brett of the second Dragoon Guards.

CARDINAL MERCIER THREATENED

Because He Refuses to Retract Statement of German Barbarities.

London, Sept. 4.—Cardinal Mercier, archbishop of Malines, and Cardinal Amette, archbishop of Paris, are returning to the French capital together from the conclave in Rome, according to a Central News dispatch from Paris.

It is announced, the dispatch says, that Cardinal Mercier declined to accede to a request made by the Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Rome that he should deny reports of German barbarities. The ambassador thereupon refused to accord His Eminence safe conduct for the return journey to Malines.

Paris, Sept. 5.—A dispatch to the Petit Parisien from Rome says that the Austrian ambassador there asked Cardinal Mercier, archbishop of Malines, who was in Rome attending the conclave, to retract a declaration the cardinal had made concerning the destruction of Louvain by the Germans. The cardinal refused and the ambassador declared that the former need not count on safe conduct for his return trip to Malines. Cardinal Mercier started for France yesterday in company with Cardinal Amette, archbishop of Paris.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 4.—David J. Palmer of Washington, Iowa, today was elected commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic, at the closing session of the forty-eighth national encampment, Washington, D. C., was chosen for the 1915 encampment.

Washington, Sept. 4.—President Wilson today nominated Martin Travieso, Jr., of Porto Rico, to be secretary of Porto Rico and Manuel Domenech, of Porto Rico, to be commissioner of the interior.

PAINTS DARK PICTURE OF LOUVAIN HORRORS

Richard Harding Davis Describes Awful Scene.

Vandalism and Ttrocities on Women and Children Committed in the Name of War—How City Was Burned.

Richard Harding Davis, the noted novelist, was in Louvain, the Belgian city of 45,000 to 50,000 when it was occupied by the enemy and witnessed its destruction by fire. He described the scene in a story written for the New York Tribune. From his story the following is taken:

Ten days ago I was in Louvain when it was occupied by Belgian troops and King Albert and his staff. The city dates from the eleventh century and the population was 42,000. The citizens were brewers, lacemakers and manufacturers of ornaments for churches. The university once was the most celebrated in European coities, and still is, or was, headquarters of the Jesuits.

In the Louvain College many priests now in America have been educated, and 10 days ago over the great yellow walls of the college I saw hanging two American flags. Found the city clean, sleepy and pretty, with narrow, twisting streets and smart shops and cafes set in flower gardens of the houses, with red roofs, green shutters and white walls.

Over those that faced south had been trained pear trees, their branches heavy with fruit spread out against the walls like branches of candelabra. The Town Hall was very old and very beautiful, an example of Gothic architecture, in detail and design more celebrated even than the Town Hall of Bruges or Brussels. It was 500 years old, and lately had been repaired with great taste and at great cost.

Opposite was the Church of St. Pierre, dated from the fifteenth century, a very noble building, with many chapels, filled with carvings of the time of the Renaissance in wood, stone and iron. In the university were 150,000 volumes.

Near it was the bronze statue of Father Damien, priest of the leper colony in the South Pacific, of which Robert Louis Stevenson wrote. All these buildings now are empty, exploded cartridges. Statues, pictures, carvings, parchments, archives—all are gone.

Compared With United State in Mexico.

No one defends the sniper. But because ignorant Mexicans when their city was invaded, fired upon our sailors we did not destroy Vera Cruz. Even had we bombarded Vera Cruz, money could have restored it. Many can never restore Louvain. Great architects and artists, dead these 800 years, made it beautiful, and their handwork belonged to the world. With torch and dynamite the Germans have turned these masterpieces into ashes, and all the Kaiser's horses and all his men cannot bring them back again.

When by troops train we reached Louvain, the entire heart of the city was destroyed and fire had reached the Boulevard Tirlemont, which faces the railroad station. The night was windless, and the sparks rose in steady, leisurely pillars, falling back into the furnace from which they sprang. In their work the soldiers were moving from the heart of the city to the outskirts, street by street, from house to house.

In each building, so Germans soldiers told me, they began at the first floor, and when that was burned steadily passed to the one next. There were no exceptions—whether it was a store, chapel or private residence it was destroyed. The occupants had been warned to go, and in each deserted shop or house the furniture was piled, the torch was stuck under it, and into the air went the savings of years, souveniers of children, of parents, heirlooms that had passed from generation to generation.

The people had time only to fill a pillow case and fly. Some were not so fortunate, and by thousands, like flocks of sheep, they were rounded up and marched through the night to concentration camps. We were not allowed to speak to any citizen of Louvain, but the Germans crowded the windows, boastful, gloating, eager to interpret.

War on the Defenseless.

We were free to move from one end of the train to the other, and in the two houds during which it circled the burning city war was before us in its most bateful aspect.

In other wars I have watched men on one hilltop, without haste, without heat, fire at men on another hill, and in consequence on both sides good men were wasted. But in those fights there were no women or children, and the shells struck only vacant stretches of veldt or uninhabited mountainsides.

At Louvain it was war upon the defenseless, war upon churches, colleges, shops of milliners and lacemakers; war brought to the beside and the fireside; against women harvesting in the fields, against children in wooden shops at play in the streets.

At Louvain that night the Germans were like men after an orgy.

There were 50 English prisoners, erect and soldierly. In the ocean of gray the little patch of khaki looked pitifully lonely, but they regarded the men who had outnumbered but not defeated them with calm but uneurious eyes. In one way I was glad to see them there. Later they will bear witness as to how the enemy makes a wilderness and calls it war. It was a most weird picture.

On the high ground rose the broken suires of the Church of St. Pierre and the Hotel de Ville, and descending like steps were row beneath row of houses, roofless, with windows like blind eyes. The fire had reached the last row of houses, those on the Boulevard de Jodoigne. Some of these were already cold, but others sent up steady, straight columns of flame. In others at the third and fourth stories the window curtains still hung, flowers still filled the window boxes, while on the first floor the torch had just passed and the flames were leaping. Fire had destroyed the electric plant, but at times that you could see the second hand of your watch ,and again all was darkenss, lit only by candles.

Men to be Shot Marched Past.

You could tell when an officer passed by the electric torch he carried strapped to his chest. In the darkness the gray uniforms filled the station with an army of ghosts. You distinguished men only when pipes hanging from their bayonets flashed.

Outside the station in the public square the people of Louvain passed in an unending procession, women bareheaded, weeping, men carrying the children asleep on their shouldera, all hemmed in by the shaowy army of gray wolves. Once they were halted, and among them were marched a line of men. They well knew their fellow-townsment. These were on their way to be shot.

HABEAS CORPUS PROCEDINGS ARE STARTED AT BUTTE

Governor Directed to Show Cause Why Prisoners Are Held.

Butte Mont., Sept. 4.—Federal Judge George M. Bourquin issued an order today directing Governer S. V. Stewart and the officers and military commission of the Montana national guard, now in charge of Butte, to show cause Monday why writs of habeas corpus should not be issued in behalf of three men arrested by the State troops. The three men are Edward Evans, D. W. Malone and James Chapman.

Malone anw Evans when arrested carried revolvers, according to Provost Marshal Conley. Chapman was a member of the committee that deported miners who refused to join the new union.

The order has the effect of attacking the validity of the military court established by the National Guard. Judge Advocate Jesse B. Roote said that order to be filed Mnday will show that the militia is in supreme command in Silver Bow county and has power to make arrests.

The petition asking for habeas corpus writs filed by a Socialist alleges that Governor Stewart issued a proclamation proclaiming that Silver Bow county is in a state of insurrection and that the proclamation is unture.

The city was quiet today. The miner worked and miners were not molested. Major Donohue directed the municipal authorities to continue all functions of the city government except the police department which is in charge of Provost Marshal Conley.

TO REMOVE DIFFICULTIES OF CLOSED EXCHANGES

Arrangements Made by the British Treasury Department.

London, Sept. 4.—David Lloyd George, Chancellor o fthe Exchequer, announced tonight that an arrangement had been made to remove the difficulties caused by the breakdown of foreign exchanges.

Under this arrangement the Bank of England will provide acceptors with the funds necessary to pay at maturity all bills contracted at the time moratorium was declared. The acceptors will be under obligations to collect from their clients funds due them as soon as possible and apply those funds to the advance made by the bank, for wheih interest will be c harged at 2 per cent. above the ruling bank rate.

The bank undertakes not to claim re-payment of any amount not recovered by acceptors from their clients for a period of one year after the close of the war. Until the end of this period the bank's claim will rank after claims in respect of post mortaterium transactions.

To facilitate fresh business and the movement of produce and merchandise from and to all parts of the world, the joint stock banks have arranged, with the co-operation of the Bank of England and the government to advance to clients the amounts necessary to pay their acceptance at maturity where the funds have not been provided in due time by the clients of the acceptors.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR COMPLAINS

Says British Cruisers Received Supplies from U. S. Vessel.

New York, Sept. 4.—Count Von Bernstorff, German ambassador to the United States, announced today that he had received positive information that two British cruisers lying ten miles from New York harbor had received supplies of coal, provisions and ammunition from a vessel flying the American flag. The supplies, Count Von Bernstorff stid, were taken aboard yesterday, according to his information.

Count Von Bernstorff said he made an official complaint to Secretary Bryan at Washington about the provisioning and coaling of the British ships.

The Ambassador said the information had came to him through his secretary, who received it from "other sources."

At the British consulate Sir Courtenay Walter Bennett, consul general to New York, declined to take any notice of the allegations made by the German ambassador.

Has Not Reported to Bryan.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Count Von Bernstorff has not presented to the Department any evidence of coaling and provisioning British warships at sea by an American vessel. The ambassador asserted recently that American firms were selling ammuntion to Great Britain bu did not take the subject up with the department.

FOR CHANGE OF VENUE IN ROOSEVELT'S SUIT.

Papers Served on Attorney for William Barnes, Jr.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 4.—Word reached here tonight that papers had been served in New York today on William M. Ivins, counsel for William Barnes, Jr., Republican State chairman in the motion for a change of venue in the $50,000 suit for alleged libel brought by Mr. Barnes against Theodore Roosevelt.

It was said arguments in the motion would be made in Albany September 12th. Mr. Roosevelt seeks the change of venue on the ground that a fair trial could not be held in Albany county because that is where Mr. Barnes lives. Col. Roosevelt will leave Oyster Bay Saturday for New Orleans where he will speak Monday night, starting back for New York Tuesday night after an automobile tour.

PROBABLY FATALLY SHOT.

Otis Smith Fired Upon by J. M. Reuss at Greenville.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Greenville, N. C., Sept. 4.—J. M. Reuss, baker, shot and perhaps fatally injured Otis Smith, in Williams grocery, this afternoon. There had been trouble between them. Smith pursued Reuss into the grocery when Reuss shot, using a 32 Winchester. The ball went through Smith's left wrist and into his body near the heart.

Reuss surrendered to the sheriff. Smith is not expected to live.

Havana, Sept. 4.—Colonel Orestes Ferrara, liberal leader in the House of Representatives, and Major Armundo Andre, a conservative member of the House and editor of the newspaper El Dia, fought a duel with sabres today. Both combatants were severely wounded.

Albany, N. Y., Sept. 4.—William J. Milne, aged 71, author of many mathematical text books, died today at Bethlehem, N. H.

SPORTS

IN THE MAJOR LEAGUES

NATIONAL

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	66	51	.564
Boston	66	52	.559
Chicago	64	59	.520
St. Louis	64	61	.512
Pittsburg	56	63	.471
Cincinnati	56	65	.463
Philadelphia	54	64	.458
Brooklyn	54	65	.454

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Philadelphia 5; Boston 6.
At Brooklyn 3; New York 4.
At Cincinnati 4; Chicago 3.
At St. Louis 1; Pittsburg 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

New York at Brooklyn.
Boston at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburg at Chicago.

O'TOOLE MAKES DEBUT WINNING FOR McGRAW.

Brooklyn, Sept. 4.—New York made it three out of four in the series with Brooklyn by winning today in a game in which there was much fault finding with the umpires. Marty O'Toole, recently acquired by the Giants from Pittsburg, made his initial appearance in a New York uniform and was on the winning side of a 4 to 3 score. The former Pirate kept the Brooklyn hits well scattered except in the eighth when a muff by Robertson paved the way for two runs. Larry Doyle's four hits and sharp fielding by the visitors figured largely in their victory.

Manager Robinson, Captain Robert and Shortstop Egan of Brooklyn, were put out of the game for disputing decisions.

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O'Toole and Meyers; Reulbach, Allen and McCarty.

TWELVE INNINGS REQUIRED TO BRING BRAVES VICTORY.

Philadelphia, Sept. 4.—It required 12 innings for Boston to defeat Philadelphia today 6 to 5. James was hit hard but was given good support, a wonderful one-hand catch by Moran of a drive to centerfield wall, saving the game in the tenth inning. Boston got four runs in the first inning without making a hit, on five passes and errors by Martin and Magee. After giving four bases on balls, Mayer was succeeded by Tincup, who held Boston in check until the 11th, when they got a run. Tincup was taken out for a pinch hitter and Alexander went to the rubber in the 12th. Smith's double and sacrifices by Maranville and Gowdy sent over the winning tally. Manager Dooin and Paskert were sent off the field for kicking when the latter was called out on strikes in the fourth inning.

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James and Gowdy; Mayer, Tincup, Alexander and Killifer.

FINAL GAME AT CINCY DROPPED BY CHICAGO.

Cincinnati, Sept. 4.—Chicago dropped the final game of the season in local grounds to Cincinnati today 4 to 2. Cheney's wildness, coupled with his wild throw on a bunt in the seventh was mainly responsible.

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Cheney and Archer; Douglass and Gonzales.

PIRATES TAKE ANOTHER FROM ST. LOUIS CARDS.

St. Louis, Sept. 4.—Pittsburg won another game from St. Louis today. It was a pitchers' battle, Harmon excelling Sallee by holding St. Louis to four hits. Konetchy had 23 chances at first base and accepted 22 of them.

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Harmon and Gibson; Salle, Robinson and Wingo.

Season Closes in City League

TODAY'S DOUBLE HEADER WILL CLOSE SEASON—GIANTS LEADING.

With today's double header the City League season will come to a close. In many respects it has been a very successful year. Never has there been a better grade of amateur baseball in Wilmington than that put up by the City League this year. The race has been close from the very beginning.

The Giants, who for the first half of the season, occupied the cellar position, have forged their way to the top and are expected to hold their position. The Boys' Brigade and Wilmington Light Infantry have the first end of today's bargin bill. This is a very important game, as it will be a fight to get out of the subway for the windup. "Skeet" Emerson, the wily overseer of the destinies of the Brigade, says that his boys are determined to not be last in the race for the rag, and that he will put the strongest line-up in today's battle that this season has seen.

Luck has broken badly for the Brigade. Several players have been out of the game on account of injuries. First Bergen, then Litgen and Register were laid up with sprained ankles, and only last Saturday Wilson, their pluckly little backstop had to retire for the rest of the season on account of a broken nose.

The Giants and Association come together for their final clash in the last scheduled game of the season. If the Giants win the game, they have the rag sewed up, but in the event that the Association comes clean, the postponed game between the Association and the Light Infantry will be played off to decide the pennant winner.

Manager Davis stated yesterday that he anticipated no difficulty in taking the final game, which would secure for them the pennant, and would be their seventh straight victory. However that may be, the Association with their star twirler, "Pomp" Green on the mound, will make it quite interesting, and a large crowd should be on hand to witness the game.

No doubt each team will bring its strongest array of rooters, and all lovers of good baseball should be on hand. This bargain bill will be presented for the small admission charge of 25 cents and ladies will be admitted free, as usual.

AMERICAN

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Philadelphia	83	41	.670
Boston	73	50	.594
Washington	62	58	.517
Detroit	64	61	.512
Chicago	60	63	.488
New York	57	68	.456
St. Louis	56	68	.451
Cleveland	39	85	.314

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Cleveland-Chicago, cold.
At Boston 4; Philadelphia 2.
At New York 6; Washington 1.
At St. Louis 1; Detroit 4.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Chicago at Cleveland.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Washington at New York.
Detroit at St. Louis.

BOSTON RED SOX MADE IT THREE STRAIGHT FROM MACK.

Boston, Sept. 4.—Boston made it three straight games by winning from Philadelphia today 4 to 2. Singles by Hoblitzell, Gardner and Hooper with an infield out off Bush's delivery and McAvoy's error gave Boston two runs in the second. In the third when Wyckoff was pitching for the Athletics, singles by Lewis and Janvrin, a wild pitch and Gardner's triple resulted in two more.

Boston	022	000 00x—4	10 2
Philadelphia	000	001 010—2	8 4

Collins and Carrigan; Bush, Wyckoff and McAvoy.

SENATORS DOWN YANKS; SHAW SETS SHUT-OUT RECORD.

New York, Sept. 4.—Washington defeated New York today 1 to 0 in a pitchers' battle between Shaw and Fisher. Shaw set the season's strike-out record, fanning 14 of the local batters. Fisher struck out nine. Nunemaker struck out four times. Shaw scored Washington's lone run, opening the ninth with a single, taking second on a passed ball and coming home on Moeller's double.

Washington	000	000 001—1	4 1
New York	000	000 000—0	2 0

Shaw and Henry; Fisher and Nunemaker.

COVELESKIE'S TWIRLING GAVE DETROIT VICTORY.

Detroit, Sept. 4.—Covaleskie's superb pitching and heavy batting by Crawford, gave Detroit a 4 to 1 victory over St. Louis here today. Twice with men on bases Hamilton passed Cobb and on each occasion Crawford hit safely.

St. Louis	000	001 000—1	5 3
Detroit	100	120 00x—4	9 0

Hamilton, Baichley and Agnew; Covaleskie and Stanage.

How They Stand

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Birmingham	80	57	.584
New Orleans	74	58	.561
Atlanta	71	58	.550
Mobile	75	62	.547
Nashville	69	66	.511
Chattanooga	65	73	.471
Memphis	67	76	.469
Montgomery	48	89	.350

VIRGINIA LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Norfolk	42	25	.627
Richmond	34	29	.540
Roanoke	32	29	.525
Petersburg	31	30	.508
Newport News	28	37	.431
Portsmouth	24	37	.393

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Durham	69	46	.600
Winston-Salem	66	45	.595
Charlotte	68	48	.588
Raleigh	48	67	.418
Greensboro	45	69	.395
Asheville	47	79	.373

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.

(Post Season Series.)

Albany	2	2	.500
Savannah	2	2	.500

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

North Carolina League.
At Greensboro 5; Charlotte 7.
At Durham 1; Raleigh 2.
2nd: Durham 4; Raleigh 2.
At Winston 7; Asheville 2.

Virginia League.
At Norfolk 2; Roanoke 0.
2nd: Norfolk 3; Roanoke 2.
At Richmond 3; Portsmouth 0.
At Newport News 8; Petersburg 6.
2nd: Newport News 1; Petersburg 3.

Southern League.
At Atlanta 5; Montgomery 3.
At Memphis 3; New Orleans 0.
At Nasheville 2; Mobile 12.
At Chattanooga 4; Birmingham 3.

South Atlantic League.
At Albany 7; Savannah 6.

International Association.
At Rochester 8; Newark 3.
At Toronto 3; Providence 2.
At Buffalo 1; Baltimore 3.
At Montreal-Jersey City, rain.

FEDERAL

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Indianapolis	69	53	.566
Chicago	67	55	.549
Baltimore	62	56	.525
Brooklyn	60	58	.508
Buffalo	60	58	.508
Kansas City	60	63	.488
St. Louis	54	70	.435
Pittsburg	49	68	.419

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

At Chicago 2; Indianapolis 1.
At St. Louis 0; Kansas City 1.
2nd: St. Louis 2; Kansas City 1.
At Brooklyn 7; Pittsburg 6.
At Buffalo 2; Baltimore 1.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY.

Indianapolis at Chicago.
Kansas City at St. Louis.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Baltimore at Buffalo.

CHIFEDS TAKE COURAGE DOWNING INDIANAPOLIS

Chicago, Sept. 4—Chicago today defeated Indianapolis 2 to 1 in ten innings in Indianapolis appearance here this season. Kaiserling forced in the tying run by walking Tinker in the ninth inning.

Indianapolis	000	001 000 0—1	5 3
Chicago	000	000 001 1—2	7 3

Kaisedling and Rariden; Hendrix and Wilson.

BUFFALO WON OPENER OF LAST HOME SERIES

Buffalo, Sept. 4.—Buffalo won the opening series with Baltimore here today.

Baltimore	000	100 000—1	5 2
Buffalo	000	002 00x—2	6 1

Quinn and Russell; Krapp and Blair.

ST. LOUIS AND KANSAS CITY DIVIDED A DOUBLE BILL

St. Louis, Sept. 4.—St. Louis and Kansas City, divided a doubleheader today, the visitors taking the first 1 to 0 and St. Louis the second 2 to 1.

Kansas City	010	000 000—1	8 0
St. Louis	000	000 000—0	3 2

Johnson and Easterly; Willett, Keupper, Herbert and Hartley.

Second game.—

Kansas City	10	000 000—1	7 0
St. Louis	001	000 00—2	4 2

Stone and Enzenroth; Watson and Simon.

BROOKLYN DOWNED PITTSFEDS BY NINTH INNING RALLY

Blooklyn, Sept. 4.—Brooklyn entered the ninth inning four runs behind today, scored five runs and won the first game of the series with Pittsburg 7 to 6. Rheam's fumble let Evans in with the deciding tally. Evans got a home run, two doubles and a single; and Savage a home run and two singles.

Pittsburgh	230	010 000—6	12 2
Brooklyn	000	001 015—7	10 0

Camnitz, Dickson and Berry; Finneran, Bluejacket, Somers and Owens.

FINAL ROUND TODAY IN NRTIONAL GOLF MATCH

Ouimet Disposed of Fownes In Semi-Finals.

Jerome D. Travers Also Disposed of Strong Rivial in Walter Travis of Garden City in Yesterday's Preliminaries.

Manchester, Vt., Sept. 4.—Champion Jermone D. Travers, of Upper Montclair and Francis Ouimet, of Woodland, the 1913 open champion, will meet tomorrow in the final round of the National Amateur Golf Tournement at the Ekwanok Country Club. In the semi- finals today Travers defeated Walter J. Travis of Garden City 5 up and 3 to play and Ouimet disposed of W. C. Fownes, of Oakmont 1 up.

The Ouimet-Fownes match produced better golf and was more exciting than the contest by no two Metropolitan veterans. Only once did either Ouimet or Fawnes have advantage of more than a single hole and that was when Ouimet won three in succession in the afternoon round, only to lose them immediately.

Stymes played an important part in the match, Fownes laying three of them ofr his opponetns. On one Ouimet putting past Fownes ball and took a half. On another occasion he sent Fownes in for a two and lost the hole.

Finding his early drives rater wild Ouimet held back his tee shots and usually played the odd for the green is putting, however, was strong and his iron sure.

With a lead of one up and one to play Fownes missed a two foot putt on the 17th green which evened up the score, and then lost the contest one-hole by slicing into the rough on his second.

Travers started poorly in the afternoon getting trapped at the second and lifting. He took the next hole through poor putting by Travis. Three more holes were played in par figures, but on the seventh Travis was wild off the fair green, and lifted. On the homeward journey Travers again played wonderful golf and took the match o nthe fifteenth green where he holed a 15-foot putt.

ALBANY EVENS IT UP ON HER HOME ENGAGEMENT

Albany, Ga., Sept. 4.—Albany evened the South Atlanta League championship series today by defeating Savannah 7 to 6. Each team now has won two games.

Savannah	100	120 002—6	14 1
Albany	010	004 20x—7	11 4

Smallwood, Cheney and Smith; Wiley and Wells.

Atlantic Coast Line

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WILMINGTON

NEW YORK	$36.00
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BALTIMORE	18.00
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On sale September 5, 6, 7 and 8 limited returning September 18.

RICHMOND, VA	$10.70

On sale September 6 and 7, limited returning September 16.

BALTIMORE, MD.	$14.05

On sale September 5, 8 and 10, limited returning September 19.

BOSTON, MASS. (All Rail)	$30.80
Via New York and Steamer	$29.60

On sale September 11, 12 and 13, limited returning September 24.

DALLAS, TEX.	$40.75

On ale Sept. 18, 19 and 20, limited returning October 2.

YOUKON, FLA.	$21.30

On sale October 6 to 18, inclusive, limited returning October 31.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.	$7.50
TAMPA, FLA.	9.50

On sale September 22, limited returning Sept. 29.

RICHMOND, VA.	$8.10

On sale October 10, 11 and 12, limited returning October 20.

NEW ORLEANS, LA.	$35.60

On sale October 17 and 18, limited returning October 31

ATLANTA, GA.	$13.85

On sale October 4, 5 and 6, limited returning October 17.

On sale October 12, 13 and 14, limited returning October 24.

On sale November 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, limited returning November 23.

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On sale October 4, 5, 6, limited returning October 17th.

On sale October 13 and 14, limited returning October 24.

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On sale October 17 and 18, limited returning October 31.

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Lv Atlanta	9:55 P. M.
Ar Wilmington	11:55 A. M.

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Lv. Florence	7.55 P. M.
Ar. Sumter	9.30 P. M.
Ar. Augusta	1.40 A. M.
AR. ATLANTA	6.00 A. M.

Passengers may remain in sleepers, in Union Depot, until 6.00 A. M.

THROUGH COACHES FROM FLORENCE.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective June 1, 1914. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 3:40 P. M. and Richmond 4:10 P. M.	No. 91. a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51. * 5:25 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50. *12:45 A.M.
No. 64. ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65. ! 6:15 P.M.
No. 48. * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49. * 6:05 P.M.
No. 53. * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford, commencing June 15. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Greensboro.	No. 52. * 8:05 P.M.
No. 62. ! 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63. 12:50 P.M.
No. 57. * 6:20 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58. * 9:55 A.M.
No. 55. * 3:45 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta and between Florence and Columbia.	No. 54. *12:50 P.M.
No. 59. * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60. *10:15 A.M.
No. 42. * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars, between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41. *10:00 A.M.
No. 68. b7:30 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 69. b 10:15 A.M.

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TO THE BEACH

Suburban Schedule

In Effect Saturday, June 6, 1914

WEEK-DAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
6:25 A. M.	6:05 A. M.
6:55 A. M.	7:10 A. M.
7:25 A. M.	7:40 A. M.
8:00 A. M.	8:15 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	and every half hour thereafter until
5:30 P. M	6:45 P. M.
6:10 P.M.	6:25 P. M.
6:30 P. M.	6:50 P.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:15 P. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

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FREIGHT

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach.
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
9:30 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:30 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

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SUNDAYS

Lv. Wilmington	Lv. Beach
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M.	7:45 A. M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P. M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P. M.	

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No. 23—6:00 P. M.—Through Pullman Sleeping car service between Wilmington and Atlanta. Through train for Lumberton, Maxton, Laurinburg and Hamlet, connecting with all trains North and South, at Hamlet.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Local train for Charlotte. Sleeper open at 10:00 P. M.

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Steamship Navahoe, Monday, Sept. 7th
Steamship Cherokee, Monday, Sept. 14th

Wilmington to New York.
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Ar. Petersburg	11:30 a.m.	10:40 p.m.
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:45 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	7:00 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	8:00 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m.

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THE WILMINGTON STAR CO.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1914

Many a man becomes a crook because of his straightened circumstances.

Those with a "retiring" disposition can never be seen at the head of the army.

Probably fortifying the Philippines might be construed as a violation of neutrality.

What about the size of the peanut politician during all this era of big wars and big men?

Couldn't President Wilson persuade the warring Europeans to call it a draw and end the fighting?

Levying an indemnity on a bankrupt nation is like levying a fine on a man who hasn't got a cent with which to pay the fine.

The world is not interested in which nation started the atrocities first, but it is more concerned as to which will get exhausted and quit.

By this time everybody in Virginia knows the definition of "Statewide", but some refuse to believe the awful meaning it has for others.

Generals Schlits and Pretzel are being hard pressed in Virginia but they are putting up the fight of their lives for "personal liberty" and "self government."

General Dan Cupid conquers all comers. A few days ago he compelled a union between an Austrian reservist and a Russian girl who had captivated the enemy.

When an aviator shoots at an adversary in the air and misses him his bullet is liable to descend and hit a sympathetic bystander who belongs to the Jonah class.

A few days ago a man was found in a starving condition in New York. It is needless to state that he was not one of the beneficiaries of the old fashioned Republican tariff.

The side which will have the best guns, the most food and the strongest armies will whip. So far as men are concerned they all fight, and heroism is common in all armies.

An anarchist who was making a bomb disappeared when he accidentally dropped the bomb. Parties who rushed in found samples of the anarchist plastered on the ceiling.

Our friends the Russian and German ambassadors should not make a personal affair of it. The gentlemen should compose themselves and refrain from epithets that have no weight in a regretable contest.

Mediation would look good to us, but Germany thinks she doesn't have to mediate and Russia hasn't got enough of war to want it at this time. The others are kept too busy fighting to even think about it.

The United States is mobilizing slowly—to capture the trade of nations so foolish as to neglect their business in order to go to war. If they drop their candy we are bound to pick it up so long as we have nothing else to do.

China will live to tell the tale how she protested against violation of her neutrality by Japan and Great Britain in the operations against Kiao-Chow. The Chinese may not be so brave as the Belgians, but they have more prudence, Old Top.

Florida's everglades lands are proving to be exceedingly productive in growing forage crops. The best thing to do with the forage is to turn it into beef by feeding it to cattle in the Everglades. The last, best and most valuable product is meat for man.

Seeing that the G. O. P. has nothing in the world to offer as an economic force in American politics, North Carolina Republicans should permit themselves to be tickled under the chin and welcomed into the progressive march of a militant Democracy. The only way to have a party of the people for the people is for the people to get together.

AMERICA, THE NEUTRAL.

In this day of strife and general warfare, when the largest nations of Europe are actually engaged in hostilities and the smaller ones are whetting their knives for a stroke when they see the opportunity, with Japan threatening the German possessions in the Far East and going so far as to declare that she will keep the Turks out of India should that nation declare war on the Allies, it is certainly great to be an American and to know that we have as our executive heads men capable of maintaining American neutrally without resort to arms.

America is the friend of every nation on earth and every nation on earth knows that it is through the United States that the present war is to be settled. The belligrent nations look to America as the mediator, and as evidence of that fact little Belgium is sending a commission of her greatest men to Washington to protest to the American government against the methods used by Germany in her warfare on the Allies.

America does not seek to be a judge to decide between the belligerent nations but rather to play the part of a peaceful friend who is willing to do all in her power to restore peace when those at war begin to think of peace. When the time comes America will suggest to the nations a plan of mediation and an armistice, and, in time, the nations will accept both. Until the time comes America will remain quietly on her side of the pond in observance of her policy of absolute neutrality.

It is well for the world that some country like this remains neutral. As it stands today, America is the only world power with sense enough to stay out of the struggle and with power enough to see that she is not drawn into it unawares.

That the belligerents look to America as their friend is evidenced by the fact that as each nation joined the conflict she requested the United States to care for her interests in the nations with which she was going to war. As a consequence America holds the unprecedented position of diplomatically representing every nation engaged in the war. When the time comes for peace, the belligerents will be readily call upon America to act as peacemaker as they have called upon her to act for them diplomatically, and sure it is that then America will act for more willingly.

America, the neutral. America, the mediator. America the friend to the world and to humanity and to herself.

GROWING INTEREST IN LIVE STOCK

From the newspapers of the piedmont and mountain sections of North Carolina it is learned that the necessity for developing the State's livestock resources is being recognized and taken seriously. Some sections have made successful efforts while in others there is a campaign of education in order to promote the industry.

There is nothing so educating as an object lesson in the shape of a livestock show, and that is what Davidson county proposes to have this Fall. The Lexington Dispatch says the Lexington Board of Trade has launched the movement and proposes to make it a success. The Dispatch, which always is zealous in promoting progressive movements, is right behind the proposition. Urging that such a movement is "worth while," the Dispatch says:

"Davidson county needs a livestock show and it can be made a great annual event, attracting thousands of people to town from all parts of the county and from other counties. As Dr. Cruse said in the meeting, Davidson county has many fine horses. During the past four or five years great changes have been wrought in Davidson county. Scrub stock has given way to pure bred stock and today there are many fine colts, calves and hogs in the county.

"We need just such an event as that the Board of Trade is advocating to bring the people out and bring out the fine stock. It will mean more to Davidson county than can be estimated. The two county fairs held here in 1910 and 1011 were productive of much good along all lines of agricultural work. We can make this live stock show just as big a success as either of the fairs and we hope the Board of Trade will get busy and make it go."

The Lexington Board of Trade is doing a good work in its practical efforts to promote livestock development. To develope cattle and stock raising along all lines and promote dairying in North Carolina is constructive work of the first order. Our cities and towns are eagerly seeking the establishment of new industries, and certainly cattle raising and dairying is as important an industry as any manufacturing enterprise. We may promote the establishment of a cotton mill to consume our cotton, manufacture needful textiles and employ our people, but when we promote the stock industry we make meat and daiy products for consumption, and, besides, there are collateral benefits quite as great. Not the least profitable feature of cattle raising is the fertilizer value, besides such bi-products as hides, tallow, etc.

Our commercial bodies are interested in developing all kinds of industries, and certainly stock raising is as good an industry as any. Farmers who produce grain and forage crops and make cows and hogs the customers for these products invariably have been astonished at the results. They get the finished products in horses, cattle and hogs, on down the line to milk, butter, beef, pork, hides, tallow, fertilizer, etc.

If we can once arouse ourselves to the point of realizing that stock raising is a great industry we will see a vast economic change come over North Carolina. Live stock shows are intended to educate the people up to this conception, and now is the time to do it.

Local stock can be displayed at Lexington's show, while stock men from all over the country will be only glad to make exhibits. The State and National Agricultural Departments will send their animal husbandry experts to demonstrate and talk, and altogether Davidson can give all of Western North Carolina a chance to see a worth while stock show.

THE MYSTERY OF BATTLES.

The idea now is not to let the world know what is taking place on the fighting line, not that the armies want to keep the people in the dark but because each combatant wants to keep facts, conditions and movements hidden from the other as much as possible. A bunch of real live newspaper men on the scene of battle would make revelations to the armies as well as to the world.

Many a fine piece of strategy has been spoiled by a keen scented newspaper man who (innocently?) gave it away as a piece of news. They also have detailed conditions, after defeat or victories in such a manner as to keep both sides apprized of actual conditions of either army without their trouble of finding it out through spies, scouts and couriers.

News from "the front", it must be remembered, reaches both sides, and the activity and imprudence of many newspaper men in handling war news as they see it, go after it and get it, has brought the war news censorship into being.

It is a wise general who keeps his plans and movements to himself. When General Joffre, the French commander-in-chief, got busy and began to give out battle programmes for the next day, to be wired all over the world, we knew he would soon cease that kind of unnecessary publicity. We marveled at his imprudence in stating on the eve of battle that the British would occupy the right, the left or the center, for that was information the enemy prized. They would use the information and be able to make a special effort to overwhelm the British or avoid them on the right, the center or the left, as the case might be.

There is no doubt that much of the hard fighting which the British had to do was because their position in the battle line was known. An astute general leaves all that to his enemy to guess at or to discover himself. We have noticed that General Joffre's programme feature, entirely too frankly announced, has been cut out, and we have wondered several times how the censor ever let it pass.

The great battles that have been fought in Belgium and France have practically been veiled in mystery. We know they have taken place. We know that battles have raged for as long as seven days at a time, and even one which was a continuous onslaught of nine days, yet we have never received the particulars and details.

We have known that the allies have been fought back continually to their lines of defense at Paris, but never yet has a word leaked out as to the actual condition of the allies after battle or that of the Germans after making their terrific assaults. All that is veiled in mystery. We can only guess and make deductions from circumstances, such for instance, as the removal of the seat of government from Paris to Bordeaux.

BALTIMORE ILLUSTRATED.

The Manufacturers' Record of September 3rd is accompanied by an illustrated edition which is confined in all its features to a pictorial and descriptive exploitation of the splendid city of Baltimore. The publication itself is a magnificent typographic production. We have never seen a more perfect mechanical product. An extra quality of paper has been used and the photogravure work is marvelously uniform in its excellence and skillful reproduction. It is enough to say that the illustrated edition is a credit to the engraving and printing arts.

Baltimore is illustrated in a most attractive and impressive manner, but within the 104 pages of the issue, that great Southern city appears to tremendous advantage in the able articles portraying her achievements and presenting the wide sweep of her opportunities and possibilities. In the whole Baltimore is inflected in all its beauty and greatness, and to be sure one must read so comprehensive a story as that about Baltimore to appreciate that city's great material progress and splendid prospects.

Baltimore is one of America's greatest cities, and it only needs to be said that the Record's illustrated edition is the completest Baltimore story we have ever seen. We get in detail the great commercial and industrial progress and standing of Baltimore among American cities, and certainly it can be said that the revelations made concerning that city are astonishing in their fullness and practical detail as to all the elements contributing to the present development of that city.

If Wilmington business men will carefully read that illustrated edition they will find inspiration in it. Baltimore sets a great pace in many particulars. More than ever, Wilmington business men will see the importance of steamship service between Baltimore and Wilmington.

CURRENT COMMENT.

An Onslow man in the city Wednesday talked hopefully of the proposed new railroad from Lillington to Swansboro. He believes that it will not be long before the construction of the road will commence. This is encouraging news. The road would run through one of the best sections of the State and would give railroad facilities to a people who would make good use of them.—Raleigh News and Observer.

England has already lost more sailors in the war than the United States lost in the whole war with Spain. But then German shooting is better than that of the Spaniards in 1898. Our little war was new evidence of the importance of constant target practice and all the maritime nations have been improving their gunnery in the last ten or fifteen years. There will be a smaller percentage of wasted shells in sea fights in this war than there was in either of the big battles of the Spanish war.—Savannah News.

In the fact that 1,000 Democrats and 2,000 Republicans in the Tenth Congressional district will be barred from the polls by reason of having failed to pay poll tax, The Western Carolina Democrat sees certain the election of Congressman Gudger. The disfranchisement of 3,000 voters in one district surely ought to exert a telling influence on the result of the balloting, and it is encouraging to know that the advantage is so largely with the Democrats. The Observer has no sympathy with the men who will lose their votes, but if the result is to be as The Democrat thinks it will be, this paper readily gives expression to its feelings of satisfaction with the situation in the Tenth.—Charlotte Observer.

Vice President Marshall's statement that "the Democratic party will have only one candidate for President in 1916 and his name happens to be Woodrow Wilson" will excite no controversy. Nor will anybody question Mr. Marshall's assertion that the President "will have the enthusiastic, unqualified and united support of his party." The Vice President has said what is in everybody's mind. There is no Democrat anywhere who now wants to be known as an anti-Wilson Democrat. There are few Republicans who are eager to pose as opponents of the President except on abstract issues of party principle. Mr. Wilson's conquest of public opinion is a moral victory for which there is no parallel in American politics. It required the greatest war of modern times to reveal the American people to themselves, but when the revelation came it was instantaneous. The ideals of the "school master" suddenly stand forth above the smoke of battle as the commanding ideals of democracy throughout the world. Unless a radical change takes places in the mind and purposes of the American people during the next two years, Woodrow Wilson's re-election is hardly more in doubt than his renomination.—New York World.

The decision to accept warehouse receipts for naval stores as a basis for the issue of national bank currency will do more than any other one thing could have accomplished to restore normal financial conditions to Florida. Money will still be scarce for a time, business will still be dull for a time, but the worst is over. The money used for taking care of naval stores will be just that much added to our supply. It will relieve the banks and the factors of the burdens of the naval stores business and have the money they have had to use for this purpose free for other uses. And since the supply of money for this purpose is additional to the currency of the community and is to be used only for taking care of the naval stores situation we see no reason why a sufficient amount should not be forthcoming to meet the demand. The war in Europe has put on business in the United States the severest strain it has ever been called on to bear. It is fortunate for the country that it had a new currency law ready for the emergency. Under the old law there would have been no relief and we may well congratulate ourselves on having escaped the damage that would have resulted if conditions that exist now had developed a year sooner. The naval stores men should avail themselves of their breathing spell to seek foreign markets for their products. Something might be done in South America where the effects of the war are felt less than anywhere else. The government is making every effort to furnish facilities for American trade and we hope business conditions will soon become normal again.—New York World.

SEARCHED ALL NIGHT.

Bladen Sheriff and Posse Finally Find Negro Wanted.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Clarkton, N. C., Sept 3.—Two negroes, Eugene Campbell and Charley Chauncey, while at work at Mr. Sidney Meares, saw mill became engaged in a fisticuff which came near resulting fatally to one of the combatants, as he was carved up freely with a pocket knife in the hands of Chauncey.

Drs. Clark and Evans dressed Campbell's wounds and said if he did not suffer seriously from it within the next few days that he would be all right. Sheriff Clark, of Elizabethtown, was here a few hours after the fight and went in search of Chauncey. Failing to locate him in the afternoon he with several citizens went to get him last night. They went to his step father's and after searching the house the old man tild them where he thought he could be found. After driving over a good portion of Columbus and Bladen counties, searching each house on the way, they returned to the first house which they had searched about 4 o'clock this morning and located him, bringing him in about daylight this morning.

Both the combatants were immediately tried before Mr. N. A. Currie, J. P. and finding probable cause both were bound over to court, and both succeeded in making bond for their appearance.

BACK FROM MEXICO.

Miss Laura Cox, Missionary, Tells of Experiences in War Time.

Kinston, N. C., Sept 4.—Miss Laura Cox, a missionary from the Guaymas, Mexico, Baptist station, now at her home in Pitt county, tells of a harrowing flight to safety by herself, two other missionaries and nin or ten girl students who had been cut off from their homes by the rebels in Mexico during the war between the Huerta forces and the Carranzistats. The party was forced to flee for their lives from Guaymas, a city on the Gulf of Mexico.

The course they took in the attempt to reach the United States led for three thousand miles down the west coast and around the southern extremity of the war zone. The hardships endured were innumerable, and the adventures often hazardous. Miss Cox denies that the Mexicans as a race are bad, though, and will return soon to her life work among them. She says the mexture of Spanish and Indian in a large element of the population brings out either the worst or the best in their natures, environment usually excluding one or the other.

Lumina Tonight.

Last week-end dance of the season. Lumina closes Monday night.—advertisement.

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION.

Notice is hereby given that the City Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, by resolution duly adopted on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1914, and amended August 22nd, called and ordered to be held in the City of Wilmington, N. C., on Wednesday, the 7th day of October, A. D. 1914, a Special Election for the purpose of authorizing or approving the ordinance passed by the said City Council on the 29th day of July, A. D. 1914, granting to the Wilmington-Carolina Beach Railway Company a franchise, permission and authority to construct, maintain and operate a Street Railway with single or double tracks, turn-outs, curves, switches, spur tracks, receipt and delivery tracks, etc., for the transportation and carriage of passengers and freight, upon, along, over, under and across the streets named in said Ordinance, and to construct, erect and maintain poles and wires, underground conduits and other structures necessary for the conduct of electric current and power for the use of said cars upon such tracks.

The streets or portions of the streets over which the said franchise is asked are fully set forth and described in the Ordinance passed by the said Council which will be published as required by law in full once in each of the daily newspapers published in the City of Wilmington not more than twenty days and not less than five days before the day of said election, by the City Clerk and Treasurer of the said City.

Said election will be held in the City of Wilmington on Wednesday, the seventh day of October, A. D. 1914, and the following named polling places, Registrars and Judges of Election have been named and designated for the holding and conducting said election, to-wit:

First Ward, First Precinct: Polling Place—Kerr's store; Registrar, Willie Kerr; Judges, L. F. Harper and J. B. Elkin.

First Ward, Second Precinct: Polling Place — Cor. Fourth and Campbell streets; Registrar, W. H. Howe; Judges, J. W. Blomme and J. G. Ittner.

Second Ward: Polling Place—Court House; Registrar, W. W. Hodges; Judges, C. W. Lassiter and Frank Shepard.

Third Ward: Polling Place—Cor. 8th and Princess streets; Registrar, A. G. Hankins; Judges, Walter Penny and S. E. Wood.

Fourth Ward: Polling Place—10th and Dock streets; Registrar, W. A. Spooner; Judges, F. W. Pfeiffer and Jos. A. Price.

Fifth Ward, First Precinct: Polling Place — Cor. 5th and Castle streets; Registrar, R. Henry Orrell; Judges, E. Childs and Wallace Sellers.

Fifth Ward, Second Precinct: Polling Place—5th and Castle streets; Registrar, J. H. Taylor, Jr.; Judges, W. H. Biddle and T. G. Landen.

The polls will be opened on the day of election at 8 o'clock A. M., and remain open until sun set of said day.

Each Registrar will, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and 5 o'clock P. M., each day (Sunday excepted) for seven days preceding the day for closing the registration books, keep open the registration books for the registration of any new electors residing in the precinct entitled to register, or whose names do not appear on the revised list and said books will be open until 9 o'clock P. M., on each Saturday during the registration period and shall close for registration on the second Saturday before said election. No registration will be allowed on election day, except to such persons as shall give satisfactory evidence to the registrar and judges of election, that he has become of the age of twenty-one years, or otherwise has become qualified to register and vote since the registration books closed for registration.

On the second Saturday before the election the registration books will be kept open at the polling places in the voting precincts; also for the inspection of the electors of the precinct and to enable challenges to be made on the right of any person to vote in said election whose name appears thereon, and if any person is objected to notice will be given him and a hearing granted as provided by law.

The Council has appointed the Registrars and Judges of said election and caused them to be notified of their appointment and required them to take the oath required by law, and named polling places and arranged them, and will cause to be furnished the necessary books and arrange for the ballots, and will fill all vanancies occurring in Registrars and Judges as required of them, and will receive the returns from said election, as required by law, and will endeavor to have the election conducted in strict conformity with the law, and will endeavor to see to it that the election officers perform their duties in all matters.

If a majority of the electors voting in said election shall vote in favor of said ordinance, the said ordinance passed by the Council shall thereupon become a valid and binding ordinance of the city of Wilmington.

By order of the City Council.

THOS. D. MEARES,
City Clerk and Treasurer of the City of Wilmington.

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On account of Labor Day, a Legal Holiday, our freight warehouses in Wilmington, N. C., will be closed Monday, September 7th, 1914, except for the delivery of perishable freight between 9:00 and 10:00 A. M.

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NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Co. will be held at its office at Front and Market streets, in the city of Wilmington, county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, on the 9th day of September, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

R. L. HENLEY, Cashier.

August 31st, 1914.

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And they asked me how I did it, and
I gave 'em the Scripture text,
"You keep your light so shining a
Little in front o' the next!"
They copied all they could follow,
But they couldn't copy my mind,
And I left 'em sweating and stealing
A year and a half behind.
—Kipling.

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Local Business Men Working on Large Proposition.

If Erected Will Be Located on Point Peter, Where Splendid Site is Available—Favorable Response.

In anticipation of the revival of the American merchant marine, local business interests are considering the erection of a very large, bonded storage warehouse and the establishments of terminals, docks ,etc. in this city.

Point Peter has been selected as the site for the proposed warehouse. Approximately 11 acres of land are available there, with something like 3,000 feet of water front, of a depth capable of accomodating any vessel that can come over the Cape Fear bar, and where railroad connections with both the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line can be had.

It was pointed out yesterday that Wilmington is one of the few cities where a large jobbing business is carried on that has no bonded warehouse and that the enterprise would not only facilitate, most probably, the present business of the port, but would also be the means of attracting here large shipments of other commodities, for transhipment by rail to interior points.

While the purpose of the gentlemen interested in the project is to build the warehouse not primarily for the purpose of storing cotton, it is recognised that while in accordance with the plan being adopted all over the South, much of the cotton will be stored in the communities where it is grown, still, of a necessity, some of the staple will find its way to the ports, and naturally such a warehouse as is proposed would afford storage facilities for such cotton as is brought to Wilmington. The receipts of the bonded warehouse would be negotiable paper, on which the growers could raise money on their cotton.

Point Peter, it is pointed out, being almost entirely surrounded by water, and with very few fire hasards common to the populated portions of the city, would be an ideal location for such a warehouse from the standpoint of insurance rates.

While as yet no definite decision to build the warehouse has been reached, several of the gentlemen interested are actively engaged in gathering the necessary date on the proposition, and those business men and bankers who have been approached on the subject have expressed themselves, thus far, as looking with decided favor on the proposition as outlined.

Undoubtedly such a warehouse as is planned would be a big comercial asset to the city and port, and further announcement relative to the proposition will be awaited with interest.

NORTH CAROLINIAN MAKING GOOD IN OKLAHOMA STATE.

Judge R. Clyde Allen, Formerly of Bladen, Winning Laurels.

The following news story and editorial comment from the Muskogee (Okla.) Times-Democrat on the work of Judge R. Clyde Allen, a Bladen county boy, raised at Kelly's Cove, on the Cape Fear, who is making good in the service of the United States government in Oklahoma, will be read with interest by his many friends and former acquaintances in Eastern North Carolina:

Editorial comment:

"When the Creek payment is finally authorized by the signing of the bill by the President, Judge R. C. Allen, Creek attorney will have rendered to the Creeks the biggest service they have ever had at the hands of their attorney and about the only one. Judge Allen has done more for the Creeks and the whites in the Creek territory since his appointment than all the other attorneys the Creeks have ever had."

News story:

"Judge R. C. Allen, Creek national attorney, returned Monday from Washington, where he has spent most of the past five months working to get the Creek equalization payment of three million dollars through Congress. The appropriation is in the Indian bill and along with it got tied up in the disagreement between the House and Senate. Last Saturday, however, the conferees reached an agreement on the Creek payment and the leaders in both houses also agreed that there would be no opposition to this item in the bill. This means that the Creeks will get their money and Judge Allen immediately left Washington for Muskogee and will proceed at once to take up probate matters that need settlement.

"According to Judge Allen the Indian bill will be threshed out in every detail and passed and probably signed within a week. He thinks that it should not be more than 30 days or six weeks at the most before the payment can be made after the bill becomes a law which will be immediately upon the signature of the President.

"This is one of the most important acts affecting the Creeks that has passed Congress for years and its effect will be felt in every line of business in the Creek nation. Under the most practical and economical plan a large part of this three million dollars will be paid out at Muskogee through the disbursing officer, who will be from the Indian offices here, and who will also make payments at several other towns which have been decided upon. The roll are already being prepared in anticipation of the order for the payment and some time in September the Creeks will draw their money. Those who participate will be the ones whose allotments did not come up to the standard of 160 acres of class A land."

SERVICES TO CONTINUE.

Much Interest in Meetings at Advent Christian Church.

Interest in the series of special services being conducted at Fourth Street Advent Christian church continues to grow and the meetings will continue through Sunday night. Rev. Edwin C. Hardison, a former Wilmingtonian, is doing the preaching. There have been a many accessions to the church and others are joining at every service.

There will be services tonight at 8 o'clock and also tomorrow night at the same hour. There will also be services tomororw morning at 11 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

FISHING STEAMER AGROUND

Hathway, of Carolina Coast Products Fleet, Probably a Complete Loss on S. C. Coast.

News has reached the city of the grounding of the fishing steamer A. M. Hathway, of the Carolina Coast Products Company's fleet, on the shoals of North Inlet, at the mouth of the Congaree river, South Carolina, the vessel going aground Wednesday afternoon under a hard wind. Efforts to pull the steamer off proving unsuccessful, she has been abandoned by Capt. C. L. Luce and his crew, and the owners of the vessel look upon her as a complete loss.

The Hathway is a vessel of 217 tons and valued at about $40,000. The ship was fully covered by insurance.

The Hathway, for several days preceding the accident, had been fishing for menhaden off Georgetown, S. C., and had a part cargo of fish aboard. Just before the vessel went ashore the nets had been put out and a large catch made. The vessel was brought up to the nets and the fish were being hauled aboard, the vessel drifting with the current and before the strong wind that was blowing. Before it was noticed that the ship was getting into shallow water, she had been swept close inshore, and though her engines were put to running at full speed nothing could avert the accident and in a short time she was hard and fast aground.

The heavy sea and the strong wind soon beat her farther inshore, and when the Hathway was sighted by the Ocean Fisheries steamer Susquehanna Thursday, and efforts made by that ship to pull her off, it was found that she was too firmly settled in the sands and that nothing could be done.

Thursday afternoon the Nat Strong, another fishing steamer of the Carolina Coast Products Company, came by, and Captain C. L. Luce and his crew of 30 men were taken aboard and brought to Southport.

Marine men stated yesterday that the Hathway was pounding to pieces on the shoals of North Inlet, and that in all probability she would be a total loss.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Southport, N. C., Sept. 4.—The fishing steamer A. M. Hathaway, under charter by the Carolina Coast Products Company, has been added to the list of those ships which are destined to serve their owners many years, and then go ashore, and remain.

Wednesday, Sept. 2, the Hathaway was off North inlet, ten miles from Georgetown, S. C., and going near shore, where her crew were bailing menhaden, the steamer grounded, and in spite of all efforts, failed to get off, the wind making the efforts futile. The Hathaway is a vessel 35 years old, and once aground it did not take much pounding to open up her seams, and fill with water, gradually settling in the sand.

The fishing steamer Susquehanna of the Ocean Fisheries and a tug from Georgetown went to the relief of the Hathaway, but could not help. Thursday, the crew gave up trying and came here, and today the steamer Lawrence went to where the wrecked steamer lay, and stripped her of every thing worth saving, or that could be taken. The Hathaway is total wreck.

WINNERS AWARDED PRIZES

Annual Frolic at Carolina Yacht Club Last Evening Attended by Several Hundred Guests.

The annual frolic of the Carolina Yacht Club at the club house on Wrightsville Beach last evening was attended by several hundred guests and the occasion proved to be one of the most enjoyable social events of the season. The presentation of the Jones-Walters trophy and the club pitcher to the winners in the races during the summer was one of the main features of the affair.

Commodore O. A. Wiggins in his own inimitable way made the presentations. The Jones-Walters trophy was won the past season by Captains Dougald and Louis MacMillan in Yacht No. 64. Capt. W. M. Peck, in Yacht No. 78, won the club pitcher. The winners of the prizes responded to the presentation speeches of Commodore Wiggins with words of the kindest appreciation for the honors accorded them.

It was at a late hour when the merry crowd left for their homes after a most pleasant evening. Music for the dancing was furnished by Scelsi's orchestra. The "hop" brought back memories of the former occasions when the weekly dances at the club were one of its notable features. Since they have become yearly events the members always look forward with much pleasure to them and the "hop" of 1914 will be remembered as one or the most enjoyable of any of the past.

The club will have an open yacht race over the sound on Monday afternoon and this will be one of the main attractions at the beach on that day. The races the past season have been among the best that the club has had in many years.

FUNERAL OF MR. WALTON

Services From Masonboro Baptist Church Yesterday Afternoon.

Attended by a large concourse of sorrowing friends and relatives the funeral of Mr. Jas. P. Walton, who died suddenly on Masonboro Beach early Thursday morning while engaged with his crew in seining for mullets, was conducted from Masonboro Baptist church yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. O. N. Marshall, pastor of Seagate Baptist church. There were many floral designs, an especially pretty one being that sent by the Woodmen of the World. The interment was in the Hewlett burying ground at Masonboro.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Jarry Hewlett, C. C. Williamson, Richard Spooner, R. J. Padrick, W. H. Lumsden and J. W. Costin.

Law School Opens for Second Term.

The second annual year of the Wilmington Law School, of which Harry Edmund Rogers, Esq., is dean, will open Friday, September 11th. The curriculum covers two years of 40 weeks each. Classes are held each Monday, Wednesday and Friday evening, 8 to 10 o'clock. There were a number of students enrolled for the first term and the prospects for a fine enrollment for the second year are very bright.

Lumina Tonight.

Last week-end dance of the season. Lumina closes Monday night.—advertisement.

MR. NATHAN SCHLOSS DEAD

Well Known Business Man Died at Home in This City Yesterday After Brief Illness.

Mr. Nathan Schloss, one of the best known business men in Wilmington, passed away at his home, No. 208 South Second street, yesterday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock after a short illness. This announcement will be a great shock to a host of friends, not only in Wilmington but throughout this section, where he was widely known. He suffered a stroke of paralysis early Sunday morning, while he and Mrs. Schloss were on a visit to his sister-in-law, Mrs. S. A. Schloss, at her cottage on Wrightsville Beach.

His condition, however, was not regarded as serious until early yesterday morning, when complications set in and he sank rapidly. He was brought to his home in this city from the beach on Monday in order that he might receive closer medical attention.

Mr. Schloss was born in Raleigh on November 4, 1855 and was, therefore, in the 58th year of his age. He was the son of the late Marx and Mary Schloss. He was married in Charlotte on July 5, 1882 to Miss Johannah Nathan, who survives him.

He was first engaged in business at Lumberton, where he conducted a wholesale and retail livery business for about five years. He came to Wilmington 30 years ago and engaged in the same business, continuing here without interruption since that time. He ran this business in his own name until about ten years ago when he organized the firm of Nathan Schloss & Co. In 1910 this business was combined with that of Mr. S. J. Davis and incorporated under the firm name of Schloss-Bear-Davis Co., Inc., the other member of the firm being Mr. J. R. Bear, who died about a year ago. The new firm has been engaged in business at No. 208 Market street and is one of the largest wholesale and retail sales and livery enterprises in the State.

He was signally successful as a business man and his success was achieved as a result of faithful and devoted attention to his business. He was a man of strong personality and greatly admired for those qualities that go to make a man in the truest sense of the word. He had a host of friends who will miss his spirit of cheerfulness and his unfailing kindness at all times.

Surviving him besides grief stricken wife are one brother, Mr. Joseph E. Schloss, of New York, and one sister, Mrs. A. A. Nathan, of this city. Surviving also are the following nephews and nieces, all of this city: Messrs. Marx, Joe B. and S. A. Nathan and Miss Mamie C. Nathan, Misses Florette and Mary Jane Schloss and Master S. A. Schloss. They will have the tenderest sympathy of a host of friends in their great bereavement.

The funeral arrangements had not been made last night but will be announced later.

Mr. Henry Nathan, of Charlotte, a brother-in-law, arrived last night to attend the funeral. Mr. Joseph E. Schloss, of New York, his only surviving brother, and Mrs. Annie Weil, a niece of Philadelphia, Pa., are expected to arrive today.

MANY PRIZES FOR CORN SHOW

Nearly Five Hundred Dollars in Money for Exhibitors in Corn Show Here in November.

Prizes in money to the amount of $494.50 have already been offered by the committee in charge of the Corn Show which will be held at Winoca Terrace near 15th and Market streets, beginning Tuesday, November 10th, and continuing through the remainder of the week. While the bulk of the prizes will go for exhibits of corn there is a sufficient number offered for other exhibits to make them well worth contesting for.

Dr. L. B. Sasser and Mr. J. P. Herring and the members of the agricultural and immigration committee of the Chamber of Commerce, of which Mr. Hugh MacRae is chairman, are devoting much time to the arrangements for the fair, which will be on a much more elaborate scale this year than last. It is also planned to make it a much greater success, although that will be hard to do as the fair last year was one of the best exhibitions of its kind ever given in this section.

The Fair to be given here in November is by no means confined to people living in New Hanover county but it is intended for all Eastern North Carolina. Farmers living in neighboring counties are invited to participate in the contests and to bring exihbits of their products.

Prizes will be given for exhibitions of the following products: Corn, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, field peas, cabbage, collards, oats and grain, peppers, turnips, lettuce, canned goods, hay, okra and other products of the farm and garden.

There will be two addresses each day of the fair by agricultural experts from both the State and National departments of agriculture. These lectures will be given in a tent which will contain ample seating capacity. The complete programme of speakers will be announced in a short time. Besides the visitors from the State and National departments of agriculture, it is expected that local men will take part in the meetings, the idea being to make them largely informal so that they may be of more interest to those attending.

The women of Sorosis are planning to have an industrial fair on the same elaborate scale as last year and full details of this feature of the Corn Show will be announced within a short time.

One of the features of the department to be conducted under the auspices of Sorosis will be the boys' department, where will be exhibited household and kitchen articles, made by boys at home. Valuable prizes will be given for the best articles of the different classes. This proved to be a popular feature in the fair last year, although there were not a great number of things exhibited. It is hoped to have the exhibition by the boys this year much larger than last year. In order to do this the boys will have to begin soon on their articles for exhibition.

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BETTER TELEPHONE SERVICE

Four New Switchboards Being Installed in Local Exchange—Rest Room for Operators.

Four new sections of switchboards with three positions, providing sufficient facilities for the employment of 13 additional operators, are being installed in the Wilmington exchange of the Southern Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. The rest room for the operators will be moved from its present location to the additional room over No. 121 Princess street, recently rented by the Bell Company. The cost of the improvements will be approximately $20,000 and will enlarge the facilities sufficiently to meet all demands for the next several years.

Mr. S. D. Lucas, district manager, stated yesterday that when the additional room was leased several months ago it was with the idea of increasing the facilities some time within the next year but it had not been expected to being so soon. However, it was later decided that now was the best time and that while the improvements were being made it would be better to make them on such a scale as to take care of all needs for the next three or four years.

The new switchboards will be sufficiently large to install at least 1,200 additional telphones. Three sections will be fuly equipped at present but the fourth section will be left vacant until it is needed.

The installation of the apparatus is being done by the Western Electric Conmpany, from whom the switchboards were purchased, and is under the direct supervision of Mr. C. H. McClung, one of the foremen of that company. Mr. G. E. Woodruff, superintendent of equipment for the Southern Bell Co., for North and South Carolina, and Mr. H. R. Hoffman, general foreman of the Western Electric Company, are spending a few days here laying out the plans for the improvements.

The present swithboard room is over No. 125 Prindess street while the room over No. 123 Princess is used for toll board room and for a rest room for the operators. Under the new arrangement the rest room will be moved to the room over No. 121 Princess street and the other two rooms will be used for the switchboards. The offices which are located at No. 125 Princess will be remodeled so as to give more room for the storage batteries, which are located on the first floor.

The new rest room for the operators will occupy the whole of the additional floor leased some time ago, extending through the entire length of the building. In the rear will be a kitchin and dinning room where lunches will be served at small cost. The details for this feature have not yet been worked out, but it is probable that an experienced cook will be in the kitchin to prepare meals at a minimum cost. The room will have every feature for making it a rest room in fact as well as in name. This is in line with the policy of this company, which aims to provide for the comfort of its employes in every way possible. In other cities the lunch room feature has proven very popular and it is believed that it will be here.

It is planned to have the new improvements completed within the next 90 days. This is only a part of the improvements which the Southern Bell has made in Wilmington this year. More than $20,000 was spent last spring in installing cables to Winter Park and other suburban points in East Wilmington. The snow and damage to their lines last spring amounted to between $18,000 and $20,000 so that the total expenditure by this company besides its regular operating expenses will amount this year to approximately $60,000.

The plans for the future contemplate keeping fully abreast of the city in its growth and development. The Bell officials made it a rule to keep in the vanguard of progress and prosperity. Their belief in the future development of Wilmington is evidenced by their expenditure of large sums of money for improvements and they have others in view, should there be a need for them.

MAYOR MOORE ISSUES LABOR DAY PROCLAMATION

Asks For General Observance of Holiday—City Employes Off.

In a proclamation issued yesterday morning Mayor P. Q. Moore asks for a general observance here of Labor Day Monday, when Governor Craig and Chief Justice Walter Clark, of the North Carolina Supreme Court, will be the guests of organized labor in Wilmington and will deliver addresses at the celebration to be held at Wrightsville eBach Mayor Moore orders that all city employes, save only those absolutely necessary for the protection of the law, order and safety, be given a holiday Monday, and he also asks that all business houses close, and give their employes a day of rest.

Mayor Moore's proclamation is as follows:

"Whereas, it is the uniform custom and practice to recognize the cause of Labor by the celebration of a day for this purpose.

"And whereas, the Legislature of North Carolina has fixed and designated Monday, the 7th day of September to be known and observed as "Labor Day.' And whereas it is eminently meet and proper that those who toil and labor should on such an occasion enjoy the pleasures and benefits of the day.

"I now therefore as Chief Executive of City of Wilmington call upon all those who work to cease on that day from their labors, and I earnestly request that all places of business be closed. I hereby order that all those in the employment of the city, save and except only such as are absolutely necessary for the protection of the law, order, and safety, have on this day a vacation.

"I urge upon as many as possible to attend the exercises at Wrightsville Beach and listen to the eloquence of Gov. Craig and of the Honorable Judge Walter Clark, who on that occasion will address the people.

"P. Q. MOORE,
"Mayor of the City of Wilmington."

Sues for Possession of Dog.

Dick Sanders, of Hampstead, is alleged by J. R. Gainey, of Delgado, to have in his possession a yellow dog which belongs to the latter. Mr. Gainey came to the city yesterday and had Justice Bornemann issue claim and delivery papers, which were placed in the hands of the sheriff to be served. It is claimed by Gainey that Sanders got the dog last February and has had the canine since that time.

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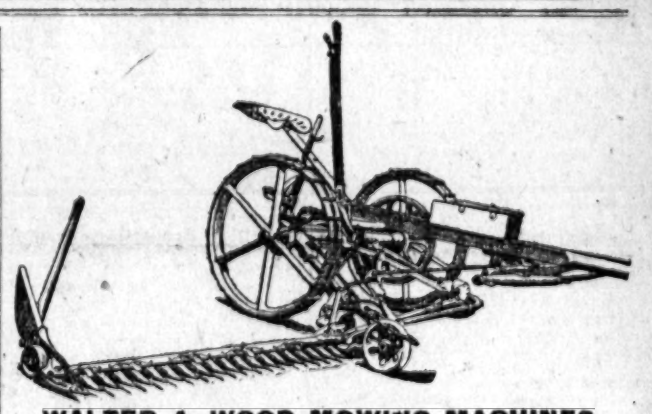

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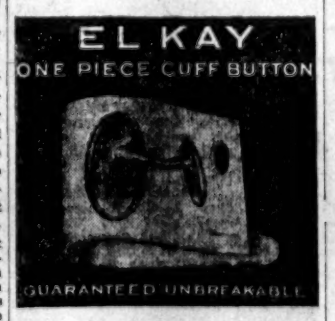

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. R. C. Merritt and little son left last night for Baltimore, Md., to visit her father, Mr. Jas. T. Barker.

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Miss Martha Adams, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Adams, left for Durham this week to enter school.

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Mr. Thos. H. Stone, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Stone, left Wednesday for Wake Forest, where he will enter college.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Miss Maggie Strange has returned from Wilmington after a visit of several weeks."

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Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Watson, Jr., have as their guests at their country home Miss Sadie Piver and little Miss Elrice Ford, of Southport.

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Mrs. G. D. Hawks, of Kinston, returned home yesterday after a visit of six weeks to her son, Mr. Frank Hawks, No. 11 North Fifth street.

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Misses Thelma Mayo and Virginia Gibbs, of Washington, N. C., have returned home after a pleasant visit of several weeks at the home of Rev. and Mrs. G. T. Adams.

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Miss Rebecca Townsend, who has been visiting her brother, Mr. A. E. Townsend, at No. 115 Castle street, left Wednesday evening for her home in Wilmington, Del.

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Mrs. W. F. Walker and children, of Savannah, Ga., who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Longley, have returned home. They were accompanied by Mrs. Longley, who will visit for some time in Savannah, Ga.

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Miss Mary Douglass, of Boston, Mass., who has been the guest for the past several weeks of her cousin, Mrs. J. S. Crowley, No. 508 South Third street, will leave this afternoon on the Clyde Line steamer Cherokee, returning to her home via New York.

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Mrs. E. P. Brock has returned from Hendersonville, where she has been spending the past month. She was accompanied on the way home by Mrs. C. E. Bethea, who came as far as Latta, S. C., where she will spend some time before coming on to her home here.

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Friends will be glad to know that Mrs. Frank Hawks has fully recovered from an operation in which she underwent at the James Walker Memorial Hospital about two weeks ago. She is now visiting at the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. G. D. Hawks, at Kinston.

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Many friends of Mr. S. A. Stockard will regret to know that he has been summoned to Raleigh, N. C., on account of the critical illness of his father, Prof. Henry Jerome Stockard, formerly president of Peace Institute, and one of the most widely known and most beloved men in the State.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Sprunt, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Sprunt and party arrived in New York Thursday night on the steamer Mauretania after spending the summer in England and Scotland. They were met in New York by Mr. W. H. Sprunt. After spending a few days in the North they will come to Wilmington.

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Mr. Latham Harriss, son of Mjr. and Mrs. W. N. Harriss, a cadet at Annapolis, who recently returned to America from the summer cruse in the Mediterranean, is expected to arrive in Wilmington from Washington, D. C. tomorrow morning to spend several weeks here with his parents. He will be accompanied by Mrs. Harriss, who went to Washington to meet him from Linville, where she spent several weeks.

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The many friends of Miss Mary L. Adams, of Leland, N. C., and Mr. R. T. Gaston, of this city, will be surprised to learn of their marriage, which was solemnized August 31st at the parsonage of Calvary Baptist church, Rev. J. A. Sullivan, officiating. On account of a recent bereavement in the bride's family, the wedding was very quiet, and only a few intimate friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Gaston will be at home to their friends at No. 221 North Seventh street after September 10th.

Church Directory

The services at Fifth Street Methodist Church Sunday evening will be in commemoration of Labor Day. Rev. G. T. Adams the pastor will preach on "The Workingman's Christ." Special music for the occassion will be furnished by a quartette composed of Miss Carrie Bowen, Soprano, Miss Ruth Bowen, contralto, Mr. J. B. Fenley, tenor and Mr. Greene Fenle, Baritone, Mr. E. H. Munson, organist. All members of labor organizations, as well as every working man in the city is cordially invited to attend this special service. Governor Locke Craig has been invited, and will doubtless attend the service.

First Presbyterian church, corner Third and Orange streets, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor. Sunday School tomorrow at 9:50 A. M. Preaching at 11 A. M., by Rev. Wm. E. Hill, of Atlanta, Ga. Christian Endeavor meeting at 8 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to all services.

St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, corner of Fourth and Campbell streets, Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D. Pastor The pastor has returned from his vacation and will conduct the morning service and preaching tomorrow. He will teach the Brotherhood Bible Class at the Sabbath school whcih meets at 4 P. M. The evening service at 8 o'clock will be conducted by the Christian Endeavor Society which has had such good meetings during the Summer. The pastor will be present and take part. Beginning next Sabbath the C. E. Society will have prayer meeting at 7:15 P. M., and the pastor will preach at 8 P. M. The mid-week service for praise and prayer will be held every Wednesday at 8 P. M. A cordial invitation is extended to all who will worship with us.

Harnett Street Mission. Eighth and Harnett Streets. Rev W. M. Baker, evangelist in charge. Sabbath School at 9:30 A. M.

Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian Church. East Wilmington. Rev. H. W. Koelling, pasior. Sabbath School at 10:30 A. M. Preaching service at 11:15 A. M. At this service the Communion will be administered in this church for the first time. The session will meet before the service to receive any who wish to unite with the church. The Christian Endeavor prayer meeing is held at 7:30 P. M. The mid-week prayer meeting is held in the church every Wednesday at 8 P. M. The public is invited to these services.

Seventh-day Adventist—Meets for its regular Sabbath meetings on Saturday morning, in the Junior Order Hall, 22 1-2 South Fronth street, Sabbath-school at 10 o'clock and preaching service at 11 o'clock. Today Evangelist Carlyle B. Haynes will speak on "Winning Souls by Personal Work." On Sunday night services will be held in the big gospel tent at Third and Castle streets and Evangelist Haynes will deliver an address on "The Crash of Empires."

Winter Park Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor—Services tomorrow (Sunday) at 11 A. M. Sunday school at 9:50 A. M. Helping Hand Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Visitors will be welcomed at all services.

Delgado Presbyterian church, Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor—Services tomorrow at 7:45 P. M. Sunday school at 10:20 A. M. Visitors cordially invited to all services.

Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner Front and Queen streets, Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor. Services tomorrow at 11 P. M. and at 8 P. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M. The public is cordially invited to attend all services.

Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian church, will preach tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock at the South Wilmington school house on the Federal Point road. The public is cordially invited to be present.

To Observe Holiday.

All the offices in the court house will observe Labor Day Monday, and will be closed throughout the day. The regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners, always held on the first Monday of the month, will be held on Tuesday.

Lumina Tonight.

Last week-end dance of the season. Lumina closes Monday night.—advertisement.

Wrightsville Beach

For the merry week-end a notable motion picture programme has been arranged at Lumina, for the last night but one of the movie season that the South's most popular resort. "The Uphill Climb" a rousing two-reel comedy, a special Selig release, features tonight's bill, and will be found one of the most hilarious numbers ever seen. Then there is a big single reel Selig drama, "Thou Shalt Not Kill," that will strike a sympathetic chord in everyone who witnesses it.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Rev. Chas. M. Lance, of Southport, was a guest at the Wilmington yesterday.

—Messrs. L. D. Highsmith and J. R. Newkirk, of Willard, were business vistors in the city yesterday.

—Mr. G. R. Dobie, of Warsaw, was among the visitors in the city yesterday, a guest at the Clarendon.

—Mr. John Weddell, of Newbern, was among the visitors in the city yesterday, a guest at the Wilmington.

—Messrs. D. E. Boney, T. Q. Hall and W. F. Murphy, of Wallace, were visitors in the city yesterday, guests at the Orton.

—Mr. Fletcher Dawson, formerly with the Stonewall Hotel in Charlotte, has accepted a position as day clerk at the Holtel Wilmington.

—Mr. J. Pritchard Orr, who has been in the mountains of North Carolina for the past three months, spent yesterday in the city en route to Currie to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Orr. After a stay of ten days he will enter Horner Military Academy at Charlotte.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The tug Blanche, Capt. Burriss, has arrived in port towing the barge Monocacy, from Chisholm's Island, S. C., with cargo of phosphate rock for the Virginia-Carolina Chemical Company.

—By deed filed for record yesterday Katie Douglas transfers to Eliza W. Coll, for $1 and other considerations, lot on north line of Bladen, 66 feet east of 17th street, 49x132 feet in size.

—Suit was started in Superior Court yesterday by Chas. Schaffer and Chas. Schaffer, Jr., partners trading as Chas. Schaffer and Son, against Stone & Sompany. The plaintiff is represented by Herbert McClammy, Esq. Compiaint has not yet been filed.

FINANCES FOR AUGUST.

County Auditor Orrell Completes Report for Past Month.

County Auditor John A. Orrell has completed his financial report for the month of August, from which the following facts of public interest are taken:

The balance on hand at the end of the month was $55,880.34; collected $29,519.65; balance from July $44,032.13; disbursed $17,681.44.

The general fund records a deficit of $7,596; collected $15,347.72; deficit from July, $19,342.37; paid out $3,601.35.

The hospital fund has $2,762.27 on hand; collected $560.33; on hand from July $2,951.93; disbursed $760.

The road sinking fund records a balance of $23,741.59; collected $1,496.86; balance from July $22,359.73; disbursed $115.

The road fund has a balance of $41,687.95; collected $5,500; on hand from July $47,734.58; disbursed $4,101.63.

Special bridge deficit $8,437.81; collected $548.71; deficit from July $8,986.52.

The Court House bond fund records a deficit from July of $120.

The salary fund has a balance of $1,500.98; collected $673.27; disbursed $1,350.46; making a deficit for the month of $677.19.

The health department account records a deficit of $1,396.97; collected $837.76; deficit from July $407.29; disbursed $127.44.

Collected for work house fund $10,000; disbursed $5,885.56; leaving a balance of $4,114.44.

The school bond sinking fund records a deficit of $376.10; nothing collected; deficit from July $376.10; disbursed $50.

THEATRICAL

Today will be one of those rare occasions at Wilmington's popular amusement center when the comedy side is given preference over everything else, an occasion that falls only once every month or two. The occasion is the presentation of that great two-reeler comedy feature release, "A Lucky Deception," one of the biggest comedy pictures ever filmed, by the Nestor company in two full reels. And it features those two popular screen stars, Victoria Ford and Eddie Lyons, with Lee Moran, and Stella Adams coming in for the secondary leading parts.

In this great comedy, they looked upon the wine when it was red,and into the lady's eyes when they sparkled, and when they regained consciousness found themselves in a vile dungeon cell playing tag with the cockroaches. That is how all the trouble started in this delicious, romping, hilarious two-reel comedy,and it is the biggest bunch of fun that has come over the way in a long time. It's full of clever situations and clever acting carries them all off with great honors.

Another notable feature, fitted to grace the top of any programme, is a full reel Rex drama, "The Hedge Between" in which is featured popular Bob Leonard, and bewitching Ella Hall. It is a story of a double romance, so interwoven as to produce one of the most interesting dramas of the day.

Then, as a finale, there comes that rousing Keystone laugh, "Fatty's Finish," that is bound to produce many a healthy laugh, and is exciting throughout.

Week-End at the Grand.

Truly, some swell bill, and one of great magnitude, too, has the charming, most popular Grand Theatre selected for today, and so all week-enders should be certain to "drop in" at this handsome amusement spot this afternoon or tonight. Four great films and one a superb two-reeler make up today's peerless show and it will go to exemplify that the Grand is always doing the big thing, leading the procession of up-to-date movies.

The two-part sensation that will head the programme is Melies "A Sublime Deception," which is a story away out of the ordinary and one that has a throb to it all the way through. From the first flash on the screen until the last there is something big doing and will go to show Wilmington theatre-goers the very best and freshest in the film line.

The Biograph comes to the front with a blare of triumps today by presenting "The Prospectors," which is a stirring tale of the early days of the West. Then there is another fine dramatic on, one that will pull at the heart strings. It is "That Boy from the Food House." It is a pretty story that will reach every heart.

And here's yet another big one. It is "The Little Captain," with clever Bobby Connelly as "Sonny Jim" and Tefft Johnson as "Daddy Jim."

Victoria All Ready.

The management of the Victoria Theatre is especially proud of the fact that it has booked as one of the headliners of its opening bill, to be presented Monday, when the Victoria will formally inaugurate Wilmington's theatrical season of 1914-15, Little Lord Roberts, the celebrated Lilliputian comedian. In fact, the most noted of these little people and an act that gets the big time in Europe, as well as America. This high salaried artists would be in Europe but for the war. The act presented by Little Lord Roberts is most elaborate and is filled with fun and music, that will appeal to every one. He does some queer comedy stunts, besides providing a swell melange of songs and dances. But Little Lord Roberts is not the only headline artist the Victoria has for the opening show, though he would be quite enough. The noted Morin Sisters, clever singers, equally as clever dancers and rapid-fire joke crackers, are on the bill, and Wilmington folks have always shown an especially strong liking for sister acts. Twisto, one of the best known and most sought after novelty artists, is also on the list, and is a real topliner. The other acts will be announced in a few days. Of course, there will be a great comedy offering by the Victoriascope, while the theatre's crack orchestra, under the direction of Prof. Brown, will render a fine programme. The opening performance will be presented Monday afternoon, followed by two performances at night.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

Mr. E. F. Noe Acquitted of Charge of False Pretense.

Mr. E. F. Noe, a grocer in the northern part of the city, was acquitted by the Recorder yesterday of a charge of false pretense brought by Mr. C. W. Nixon. It was alleged in the warrant that Mr. Noe had purchased a small quantity of merchandise from the Wilmington Fruit Exchange, Inc., on a false statement that the Tidewater Power Co., owed the defendant some money and that he would pay for the goods out of this fund. K. C. Sidbury, Esq., represented the State and L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for the defendant.

Bruce Leak, colored, was charged with stealing a tie and a pair of socks from the Kress Company. He was sentenced to serve 60 days in jail with the privilege of the commissioners to hire him out. Judgment was suspended upon each paying one-half of the costs in the cases against Messrs. J. L. Clemmons and G. C. Jackson, Jr., charged with engaging in an affray.

LOGGING ENGINE BROUGHT HERE.

Impression That Action Constituted Contempt of Court.

The removal of a logging engine from the timber holdings of the Buell-Crocker Lumber Company, near Chinquepin, to this city, after a restraining order had been served on the company, to prevent the removal of any of the company's assets pending the outcome of an effort to have a receiver appointed for the company, promises a possibility of further developments in the way of contempt of court proceedings against those responsible for the removal of the engine.

The engine is said to be worth between $8,000 and $9,000, and was brought to the city on a barge. It is being guarded by deputies from Sheriff Cowan's office, pending service of a restraining order on a Mr. Baker, who is said to have disposed of the engine to the Buell-Crocker Company some time ago, and to have taken it back Thursday.

—A building permit was issued yesterday to Hannah Harriss for an addition and general repairs to residence on Ninth street between Dock and Orange, the estimated cost being $200.

Lumina Tonight.

Last week-end dance of the season. Lumina closes Monday night.—advertisement.

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MR. HAYNES WILL CONDUCT ANOTHER SERIES OF MEETINGS

Begin Tomorrow Night Under Tent at Third and Castle Streets.

Evangelist Carlyle B. Haynes who, the latter part of July closed a nine weeks' series of tent meetings at the corner of 11th and Market streets, will begin next Sunday night another series of evangelistic services under canvas to continue for a number of weeks. A large canvas pavilion has been erected on the well known carnival lot at Third and Castle streets and the new series of meetings will be inaugurated there Sunday night with an address by Mr. Haynes on the war situation in Europe. His subject will be "The Crash of Empires."

In speaking of the purposes and prospects of this series of meetings yesterday, Mr. Haynes, who is a Seventh-day Adventist, said: "We feel that this series of meetings will be successful and very beneficial. All of the subjects to be presented are being selected with an idea of giving a maximum of instruction in the principles and truths of the Bible. To those who are interested in Bible study, especially the study of the prophecies of the Bible and their fulfillment, we want to make this series of meetings as valuable as a regular Bible course. Subjects such as the millenium, the second coming of Christ, the origin and destiny of Satan, the minstration of angels, the approaching battle of Armageddon, and the prophecies which relate to the times in which we are now living and which throw a flood of light upon the perplexing problems which are now presenting themselves for solution, will be studied, and all in all we hope in this series of meetings to give those who attend regularly a liberal education in the Scriptures."

An important feature of these meetings will be the nightly question and answer service which will be conducted by the evangelist after each address. Questions written out by those in the audience will be gathered at the close of the service and taken by the ushers to the platform and immediately answered by Mr. Haynes.

Another feature of the meetings will be the method of announcing the subjects at the tent to the down-town section of the city. Permission has been obtained from the mayor for a blackboard to be placed at the corner of Front and Princess streets and on this board every day chalk pictures will be placed and the announcements of the subjects to be presented each night at the tent made. The board has been in operation four days and the placing on it of the chalk pictures by Mr. G. S. Vreeland has already attracted widespread attention.

EPWORTH LEAGUE OFFICERS.

Grace Church League Leaders for Ensuing Year.

At the regular business meeting of the Epworth League of Grace Methodist church, held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. Hankins Hall.
First Vice-President, Mr. Frank Hawks.
Second Vice-President, Mrs. J. Davis Robbins.
Third Vice-President, Miss Mary Houston.
Fourth Vice-President, Miss Nora Mills.
Secretary, Mrs. J. Davis Robbins.
Treasurer, Mr. T. J. Morris.
Epworth Era Agent, Mr. B. H. Houston, Jr.
Pianist, Miss Eunice Tucker.
Press Agent, Mr. K. W. Price.

Much interest was manifested in the work of the League for the coming season, and the strong list of officers named means much for the live organization.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

14,332,000 BALES USED

Total World's Consumption of American Cotton for Season Ended August 31st.

New Orleans, September 4. — Total world's consumption of American cotton during the season ending August 31st, in statistics issued today by H. G. Hester, secretary of the New Orleans Cotton Exchange, was put at 14,332,000 bales, divided as follows:

Northern mills, 2,625,000 bales; Southern mills, 3,037,0000; foreign mills, 8,670,000.

The commercial crop of 14,583,000 bales was divided among the cotton growing States in this way:

Alabama, 1,530,000; Arkansas, 1,051,000; Florida, 70,000; Georgia, 2,454,000; Louisville, 458,000; Oklahoma, 877,000; Mississippi, 1,326,0000; North Carolina, etc., 894,000; South Carolina, 1,462,000; Tennessee, 518,000; Texas, 3,904,000.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Receipts, 293; stock, 48,969.

Galveston — Receipts, 1,873; stock, 43,789.

Mobile—Receipts, 60; stock, 2,189.

Savannah—Receipts, 1,165; stock, 1,-823.

Charleston—Receipts, 46; stock, 1,-590.

Wilmington—Stock, 7,583.

Norfolk—Stock, 13,599.

Baltimore—Receipts, 84; stock, 2,851.

Boston—Receipts, 33; stock, 3,200.

Philadelphia—Stock, 1,275.

New York—Stock, 87,968.

Minor Ports — Receipts, 500; stock, 2,286.

Total today—Receipts, 3,977; stock, 230,700.

Total for week—Receipts, 34,331; exports, 9,701.

Total for season—Receipts, 67,571; exports, 22,326.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Receipts, 3,165; shipments, 2,744; stock, 32,599.

Memphis—Receipts, 49; shipments, 119; stock, 14,635.

Augusta—Middling, 7½; receipts, 1,-109; shipments, 160; stock, 11,164.

St. Louis—Shipments, 134; stock, 13,-987.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 96; shipments, 277; stock, 5,391.

Little Rock—Shipments, 86; stock, 4,840.

Total today—Receipts, 4,419; shipments, 3,520; stock, 83,666.

ABRUPT DECLINE IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE

Notable Financial Event of the Day—London Cables Fall.

New York, September 4.—A notable financial event of the day was the abrupt decline in foreign exchange. London cables fell to 5.02¼ and demand to 4.91½. These quotations represent declines of as much as five in the pound sterling from the highest rates of the week, and are believed to result directly from the outcome of negotiations between New York city officials and a banking group, which is said to have agreed to finance all of New York's foreign obligations maturing between this and the expiration of the year.

Call money was offered at 6 per cent. by representatives of Canadian banks, which stipulated, however, that fully 50 per cent. collateral in excess of the loan would be required. As these terms were almost prohibitive, little money was loaned at the 6 per cent. The market for time loans continues nominal, around 8 per cent. Money brokers see no indications of a pronounced hardening of the market, unless the foreign conflict is unduly prolonged.

HESTER'S WEEKLY COTTON STATEMENT.

Comparisons are to actual dates, not to close of corresponding weeks.

In sight for week, 70; same seven days last year, 222; for the month, 54; same date last year, 122; for season, 120; same date last year, 549.

Port receipts, for season, 68; same date last year, 883.

Overland to Mills and Canada for season, 4; same date last year, 9.

Southern mill takings for season, 47; same date last year, 130.

Interior stocks in excess of September 1st, 1,500; last year minus, 23.

Foreign exports for week, 10; same seven days last year, 148; for season, 22; same date last year, 276.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, Sept. 4.—Cotton seed oil was weak, final prices showing a net loss of 14 to 18 points. Liquidation, coupled with hedge selling of January and lack of outside support were responsible for break. Tenders so far this month amount to about 17,000 barrels. The market closed weak. Spot, 6.00@6.06; September, 6.02@6.07; October, 6.12@6.15; November, 6.05@6.08; December, 6.08@6.12; January, 6.11@6.13; February, 6.12@6.15; March, 6.19@6.20; April, 6.20@6.25. Total sales, 8,100.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, September 4.—Turpentine, nominal, 45½; no sales; receipts, 411; shipments, 928; stocks, 28,031.

Rosin—Nominal. No sales. Receipts, 762; shipments, 1,753; stocks, 111,109.

Quote: A, B, 3.50; C, D, 3.52½; E, F, G, H and I, 3.55; K, 4.15; M, 4.50; N, 6.00; W G, 6.25; W W, 6.35.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, September 4.—The primary cotton goods market today was steady. Bids for large quantities of print cloths were made, but no business resulted as the mills declined to make further reductions. Staple ginghams were in good demand. Dress ginghams continued to show an improvement. Domestic wool prices held firm. Fine wools were reported to have declined sharply on the Australian markets. Financial pressure caused some silk manufacturers to reduce prices on crepes.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, September 4. — Hogs, lower. Bulk of sales, 8.75@9.15; light, 8.90@9.35; mixed, 8.55@9.35; heavy, 8.45@9.20; rough, 8.45@8.60; pigs, 5.00@8.50.

Cattle—Dull. Beeves, 6.70@10.75; steers, 6.30@9.30; stockers, 5.40@8.15; cows and heifers, 3.85@9.25; calves, 7.50@11.50.

Sheep—Steady. Sheep, 5.50@5.75; yearlings, 5.65@6.60; lambs, 6.25@7.90.

WEEKLY COTTON REVIEW

Effort to Close Out Old Contracts Practically Monopolizes Attention in New York.

New York, September 4.—The attention of the local cotton trade is still practically monopolized by the effort to close out the old contracts, which were left outstanding when the markets were closed more than a month ago. The plan proposed by the international conference and approved by members of the local exchange on Thursday is considered likely to result in an ultimate adjustment of the straddle interest, but the fact that the progress of such liquidation is to depend upon the marketing of the Liverpool stocks, has created apprehensions that it will be some time before the interests is completely eliminated.

For the past week or two Liverpool sales have been averaging only about 2,000 bales per day, while it is estimated that the Liverpool short interest here is in the neighborhood of 300,000 bales, but English importers are not attempting fresh importations of anything more than enough cotton to fill out assortments until the stock is disposed of, and the British government is said to have placed large orders for cloths which may increase demands on the available supply.

Meanwhile, estimates of the new crop have been increased as a result of the government report, showing an improvement in the prospect during August, and almost every day during the week there have been reports of gradually declining prices in the South.

Texas, in particular, is reported to be offering cotton to the New England mills at very low prices.

TO HOLD DAILY MEETINGS

Conference Committee of New York Cotton Exchange Makes Announcement — "Straddle Interest."

New York, September 4.—The conference committee of the New York Cotton Exchange issued a statement today that it would hold daily meetings for the purpose of facilitating the liquidation of the straddle interest and establishing rules for such operations in accordance with the general plan approved by members of the exchange at yesterday's meeting.

All members of the Exchange having open contracts in Liverpool who so desire have been requested to cable to their Liverpool correspondents to tender the interest for liquidation by ballot and to put all their orders into the local market on Tuesday, September 8th, before 10 A. M.

Otherwise, no fresh development was reported with reference to the contract situation, and there seemed to be little change in the news from the South. Prevailing weather conditions are considered favorable to the crop, and while very little business is reported in spot cotton there were rumors of offerings from the southwest today at lower prices.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Str. Cherokee, Bunnell, Georgetown, C. J. Becker, agent (Sept. 3.)

Tug Blanche, Burriss, Chisholm's Island, towing barge Monocacy (Sept. 3.)

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Gorreditjk (Dutch), 4,116 tons, J. Van Dulken, Heide & Co.

Str. Lena (Br.), 2,679 tons, Chartres, Heide & Co.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.) 2,289 tons, Hollasch, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger) 2,872 tons, Linke, at Southport, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Schr. Richard Linthicum, 193 tons, Roberts, C. D. Mafitt & Co.

Schr. Florence Howard, 680 tons, Farrow, C. D. Mafitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nominal.

ROSIN—Nominal

TAR—Quiet; 2.00 per barrel; per gallon, 9½c.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Nominal, 2.75 per barrel for soft; 2.75 per barrel for virgin; 3.00 per barrel for hard.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady, 33½; rosin, firm, 3.70; tar, firm, 2.20-10c; crude, firm, 3.00, 3.00, 3.00.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine 5

Rosin 39

Tar 52

Crude Turpentine 2

Receipts same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 5 casks; rosin, 89 barrels; tar, 12 barrels; crude turpentine, 13 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market — Spot, middling, nominal; last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, 285 bales.

Total receipts since September 1st, (—) bales.

Total receipts same day last year, 495 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Wilmington, Sept. 4.

Atlantic Coast Line—12 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—2 casks spirits turpentine; 9 barrels rosin; 14 barrels tar.

Thelma—3 casks spirits turpentine; 30 barrels rosin; 26 barrels tar.

Total—5 casks spirits turpentine; 39 barrels rosin; 52 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, September 4.—Spot cotton for retail demand at unchanged rates. Sales, 1,900 bales, including 1,800 American, on the basis of 6.20d. for middling. Imports, 1,700 bales, all American.

Total forwarded to mills, 24,000 bales, of which 7,000 were American; stock, 881,000, of which 600,000 were American. Imports, 20,000; American, 3,000. Exports, 1,000.

WAR PRICES IN EARNEST

Realized Yesterday on Chicago Exchange—Wheat Makes Net Advance of Over 5 Cents.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—War prices were realized in earnest today on 'Change. After an advance of 6 to 6¾ a bushel, wheat closed wild at 5 to 5⅞ above yesterday's finish. All other leading staples showed net gains. Corn, 1¼ to 1⅝@1⅝; oats, 1¼ to 1½, and provisions, 5@7½ to 50c.

Grain and provisions closed:

Wheat—September, 1.20¾; December, 1.23¾; May, 1.30¼.

Corn—December, 76⅝; May, 79¼.

Oats—December, 54¼; May, 57⅝.

Pork—January, 22.87.

Lard—October, 10.35; January, 11.00.

Ribs—October, 13.22; January, 11.70.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 3, red, 1.19¼@1.23½; No. 2, hard, 1.18¼@1.22½.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 82¼@83¾.

Oats—Standard, 51½@52¼.

MAY WHEAT GOES ABOVE $1.30 PER BUSHEL

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Trans-Atlantic calls for breadstuffs, said to be without parallel in the history of the trade, today brought the wheat pit to the boiling point, and at the finish the May option sold as high as $1.31 1-4.

This marked an ascent of 41 1-2 cents since the day Germany announced hostilities had become inevitable.

Virtually no speculators were hardy enough to oppose the advance. Profit taking sales by holders turned out to be altogether insufficient to act as more than temporary checks on the violent upturn.

DUN'S TRADE REVIEW.

Further Abatement of the Tension in Financial Circles.

New York, September 4.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say:

"There is further abatement of the tension in financial circles, although money continues very firm and new business is still closely restricted to urgent needs. The disorganization of foreign exchange is slightly less better and international banking arrangements are slowly but gradually improving. Efforts to restore more normal transportation facilities with foreign markets are meeting with gritifying success. Shipments of grain abroad are becoming more extensive and buying for foreign account continues heavy. The higher prices induced by those purchases cause a considerable expansion in offerings of wheat from the country and the sales abroad will hasten a return to more normal conditions in international exchange. Considerable irregularity is manifest in reports from the leading mercantile and industrial centers, but in view of existing conditions the movement of commodities is quite well maintained.

"Failures for the week in the United States were 364, compared with 205 last year; in Canada, 55, compared with 19 last year."

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 29.)

CORN—$2.10 per sack.

POTATOES — Irish potatoes, $1.00 per bu. Sweet potatoes, yams, $1.25 per bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

BEEF—Native dressed, 8@9c.; very dull.

PORK—Small, 10@12 cents; large, no sale.

SHEEP—No sale. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head.

WOOL—Burry, 14 to 15c.; black wool, 16 to 17c.; first-class white wool, 21c. free, 20@21c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 12c.; dry flints, 17@19c. lb.; dull.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 30c., dull; sides and shoulders, 15c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28@29c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 45@50c.; spring, 12½@30c. per head. Very dull.

EGGS—20c.@21c. per doz.; good demand.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 3.—Spanish — Market, quiet. Farmers' Spanish, $1.00 per bushel.

Virginias—Market, quiet. Jumbo, 4c. per lb. Fancy Hand Picked, 3¼c. to 4c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3¼c. to 3¼c. per lb. Prime, 3c. to 3¼c. Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3¾c. per lb.

FOODSTUFFS AND FEED.

(Quotations of Friday, by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

Patent Flour—$5.75 to $6.50 per barrel.

Corn — Domestic, $1.15; Imported, $1.05 to $1.10.

Meal—96 lbs., $2.10 to $2.15.

Oats—Mixed, 58c.; white, 60c. per bushel.

Middlings—$34.00 to $35.00.

Hay—No. 1, Timothy, $28.00; No. 1, Mixed, $24.00.

D. S. Sides—14¼ to 14¾; Plates, 13c. to 13½c.

Lard—9c. to 9¼c.

Coffee—11½c. to 16c.

Rice—3¾c. to 6¼c. Fancy head rice, 6½ to 7c. f.o.b. mill.

Sugar—Fluctuating. (Present cost in New York, 7½c.)

Molasses—As it stands, 40c per gallon.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 29.—North Carolina Peanuts: Market weaker; receipts, light; fancy hand-picked, 85c.; No. 1, machine picked, 80c.

Virginias — Steady. Fancy hand picked, $1.00; No. 1, machine picked, 95c. per bushel.

Spanish—Weaker, $1.00 per bushel.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, September 4.—Sugar—Raw, steady. Molasses sugar, 5.37; centrifugal, 4.02; refined, steady.

Butter—Steady.

Cheese—Steady.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, September 4.—Mercantile paper, 7. Sterling exchange, easier, for cables 50.250; for demand 50.150. Bar silver, 53¼.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

September 5, 1914.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 72 degrees; at 8 P. M., 78 degrees; maximum, 86 degrees; minimum, 68 degrees; mean, 77 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .32; rainfall for the month, to date, .46 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 3.5 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Fair Saturday and Sunday.

The Port Calendar, Sept. 4, 1914.

Sun rises ... ...5:48 A. M.
Sun sets ... ...6:33 P. M.
Day's length ... ...12 hrs. 45 min.

The Tides.

	High Water. AM.	PM.	Low Water. AM.	PM.
Wilmington	10:07	10:28	5:16	5:37
Southport	8:25	8:42	2:23	2:38
Masonboro Inl	8:14	8:31	2:03	2:18

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

September 3, 1914.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature Highest today.	Temperature Lowest last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	90	70	.0
Asheville	clear	78	58	.0
Atlanta	clear	82	62	.0
Augusta	clear	88	70	.0
Birmingh	clear	84	64	.0
Boston	cldy	80	64	.0
Charleston	cldy	90	74	.01
Charlotte	clear	84	66	.0
Chicago	pt cldy	64	56	.0
Galveston	clear	86	74	.06
Jacksonv	cldy	92	76	.32
Memphis	clear	84	64	.0
Mobile	clear	78	72	.0
Montgom'y	clear	86	72	.0
New Orl	clear	92	74	.0
New York	clear	78	66	.0
Oklahoma	cldy	92	72	.0
Palestine	clear	94	74	.0
Pittsburg	cldy	62	60	.0
Raleigh	clear	84	68	.0
Savannah	cldy	92	72	.0
Shreveport	cldy	92	74	.0
St. Louis	clear	78	62	.0
Washing'n	cldy	80	62	.0

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SEVENTY-NINE GIVEN LAWYERS' LICENSES

Nineteen Out of 98 Applicants Fail to Pass

One of the Successful is a Charlotte Woman—One Refused Because Too Young—Three Negroes Are in the List.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 4.—The Supreme Court announces the names of 79 successful applicants for license to practice law in this State, 19 of the 98 who undertook the examinations on Monday having failed. One examination paper was not passed upon because the applicant was not of age and will not be of age before the next term of court convenes. The list includes one lady, Miss Julia McGehee Alexander, of Mecklenburg. There are three negroes in the list. The list of new lawyers follows: Geo. L. Jarvis, Cleveland county; William O. Snyder, Forsyth; Marshall B. Sherrin, Union; Robert H. Parker, Halifax; Clyde H. Jarrett, Jackson; Archibald G. Robertson, Virginia; Ozmer L. Henry, Anson; Walter H. Fisher, Sampson; Frank J. Schulken, Columbus; James A. Strawn, Union; Harry P. Johnson, Robeson; Wade H. Sanders, Johnston; William M. Bridges, South Carolina; Merrill A. Walls, Forsythe; Sidney W. White, Pasquotank; John R. Joyce, Rockingham; Graham W. Duncan, Carteret; George O. Marshall, Columbus; Thomas A. Avera, Nash; Beverly T. Sultare, Mecklenburg; Gaither McI. Beam, Person; John H. Vance, Forsyth; John A. McLeod, Harnett; Richard F. Paschall, Chatham; Tom E. Gillman, Onslow; Augustus R. House, Martin; Earl P. Yates, Wake; Grover H. Grondstaff, Buncombe; James W. Hollingsworth, Franklin; Vester W. Keigh, Wake; James J. Alexander, Alexander county; Henry C. Strickland, Wake; Grover H. Joyner, Northampton; Thomas C. Guthrie, Jr., Mecklenburg; Andrew J. Harris, Jr., Vance; Adrian S. Mitchell, Hertford; Louis H. Milsaps, Mecklenburg; John C. Wallace, Forsyth; Chas. S. Glasgow, Virginia; Robert G. Cherry, Gaston; Walter G. Sheppard, Pitt; Henry A. McKinnon, Robeson; Eugene Allison, Transylvania; James McB. Williams, Cumberland; Joseph A. Adams, Guilford; Ellee J. Lovelace, New Jersey; Frank R. Ray, Rockingham; Geo. V. Strong, Wake; Cyrus H. Smithdeal, Ashe; Harry Tucker, Wake; Richard B. Loughran, Buncombe; Joseph L. Horton, Pitt; Kenneth McK. Farrior, Duplin; James D. H. Hill, Wilson; Charles A. Misenheimer, Jr., Mecklenburg; Nere E. Day, Onslow; Carlisle W. Higgins, Allegheny; Claude E. Teague, Richmond; Basil F. Brittain, Randolph; Paul P. Pelton, Lee; Fitzroy D. Phillips, Scotland; Edward N. Wright, Buncombe; Alvin A. Paul, Buncombe; Wilkins P. Horton, Chatham; Jessie T. Edwards, Rutherford; Albert D. Parker, Jackson; John H. Norwood, Stanly; Julia McG. Alexander, Mecklenburg; Henry A. Tolston, Carteret; William T. Brothers, Pasquotank; Alonzo D. Folger, Surry; Samuel M. Gattis, Jr., Orange; Byron V. Henry, Anson; Ashley B. Stainback, Halifax; Hoyt Roberson, Jones county; Richard J. M. Cobb, Guilford; Robert R. Boyd, New York; Sydney F. McCreery, New York.

EDGECOMBE TAKES ACTION.

To Provide for Storage of Cotton,—Will Organize Company.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Tarboro, N. C., Sept. 4.—In response to a call from Mayor Jones issued early last week, a large crowd of interested cotton men gathered at the court house Tuesday afternoon in order that some plan might be perfected whereby the surplus cotton in this county might be adequately stored and negotiable paper received from the storehouse company.

The following resolution, introduced by Dr. J. M. Baker, was unanimously adopted:

"Resolved, That a committee be appointed to proceed immediately to perfect an organization of a cotton storage company whose object and purpose is to accept, receive, store and preserve in a proper manner the surplus cotton of the county, said company when organized, to establish rules and regulations to control its business, and that such rules, regulations and restrictions shall be such as will enable the farmer to store his cotton in bonded warehouses or on his own farm, provided same is done in such a manner as will justify such receipts for same as will comply with the regulations of the government as to the issuance of emergency currency for same."

MR. JAMES HENRY BELL DEAD.

Was Prominent Citizen and Well Know Jeweler of Tarboro.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Tarboro, N. C., Sept. 4.—Tuesday shortly after noon this community was shocked by the announcement that Mr. James Henry Bell, a prominent jeweler of this city, had suffered a stroke of appoplexy that resulted fatally in a few minutes after the stroke came. The suddenness of the illness and death made the shock more distinct for it was not even thought Mr. Bell was sick until the announcement of his death was made.

The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at the St. James Methodist Church in this city and interment took place in the Baptist graveyard. Many beautiful floral tributes were sent to the home and the grave.

R. P. BOLTON NOMINATED

Defeats Fulton R. Hall for Register in Cumberland.

(Special Star Correspondence)

Fayetteville, N. C., Sept. 4.—Incomplete returns from the primary held yesterday to nominate a Democratic candidate for Register of deeds indicate that Rosewell Bolton was nominated over Fulton R. Hall. Holder of the office, by about 150 votes.

The 18 precincts heard from give Bolton a majority of 139, while the two precincts missing are expected to increases this to 150.

The Democratic primary held August 25, failed to nominate a candidate for register of deeds from four candidates and a second primary was ordered between Hall and Bolton, the two high men.

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(advertisement.)

NEWS OF A DAY FROM THE STATE'S CAPITAL

No Worry About Foreign Insurance Companies

Commissioner Young Answers Inquirers With Assurances—Stell Returns to Internal Revenue Service—Cotton.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 4.—Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young is receiving many inquiries from out in the State as to the status of the foreign insurance companies that have extensive insurance relations in this State, the inquiries being especially as to the probable effect of the war on their solvency and ability to meet their obligations. The Commissioner is assuring these inquirers and the people of the State generally that particularly in the case of those insurance companies licensed to do business in this State there are properties and investments by these companies in America that would assure the solvency of their American obligations. He does not believe there is any occasion for uneasiness in this respect.

Inspection of College Plants.

Now that the colleges and other schools throughout the State are opening for the fall terms, the matter of inspections of their heating equipment and fire escapes is coming in for special attention by the State Department of Insurance. Commissioner Young is calling on the heads of all these schools to make special investigations and reports as to their respective plants and the deputies of the department and the authorities in the towns are being called into this special inspection service.

National Convention at Asheville.

Commissioner Young is the president of the National Association o fState Insurance Commissioners and says that the outlook is for an especially large attendance on the annual convention to be in progress September 15-18 at Asheville. The Fire Marshals' convention of the United States will also meet in connection with the insurance commissioners with their special session on the preceding days of September 11 and 12. This organization is also sure to have a very large attendance, the commissioner says.

Lonnie Williams has been delivered to the penitentiary by Sheriff A. W. Taylor, of Lenoir county, to serve 14 months for having two wives.

Colored School Case Argued.

The North Carolina Supreme Court has just heard the argument in an appeal by the trustee of the Colored Normal School at Elizabeth City vs. the State Board of Education, with Thomas J. Markham appearing for the plaintiff and Attorney General Bickett for the defendant State Board of Education, which is the appellant. The suit involves the title to a lot in Elizabeth City. The question involved is whether a title conveyed by the trustees of the school in 1870 and then in 1905 there was a conveyance to the State board of education. The trustees claim that this was merely a lease and not a deed of title while the State board of education insists that it was a permanent title with right to sell and apply the proceeds to similar work in or near Elizabeth City. The old premises have been abandoned for new colored State Normal buildings and grounds and the right of the State board to sell the old property is the dispute. The lower court held with the trustees of the Colored Normal.

Wake Forest Alumni.

The Wake County Alumni Association of Wake Forest College has launched a new year following their recent banquet here with Dr. Rufus J. Hunter as president succeeding Dr. Charles Lee Smith. The other officers are J. J. Lane, vice president; N. B. Broughton, secretary-treasurer; Chas. E. Brewer and W. N. Jones, as additional members of the executive committee.

Baptist Educators' Conference.

The preliminary conferences looking to a correlation of the Baptist colleges and other schools of the State so that there may be corresponding standards and possibility of credit for work done in one institution in entering another and general co-operation in the educational work have been begun here with Rev. Livingston Johnson, corresponding secretary of the Baptist State convention, and President W. L Poteat, of Wake Forest and President R. T. Vann, of Meredith College, leading the movement. It is expected to have some definite plan formulated by the time the Baptist State convention meets in December when action is to be taken by that body.

Stell Gets Old Job.

Collector of Internal Revenue J. W. Bailey announces the re-appointment of J. P. Stell as chief field deputy, following his resignation two months ago to make the race against Sheriff J. H. Sears for Democratic nomination for sheriff and his defeat at the polls in the primary last Saturday. Collector Bailey insisted that Stell's place would not be held open for him pending the result of the campaign and he explains that this has been a dull season and no special need for filling the vacancy and that now friends of Stell made such insistence that he be reappointed and Stell's record has been so exceptionally good that he felt obliged to reinstate him in the service. He makes public a letter from Commissioner of Internal Revenue Osborne approving the reappointment and issues a statement that during his 11 months' former service Stell made 58 raids, captured 44 stills and arrested and convicted 17 blockaders.

Regulations for Cotton Warehouses.

At the suggestion of the attorney for the board of commissioners of Mecklenburg county, Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham has prepared a form of proposed regulations for the management of cotton storage warehouses for counties which may wish to follow the law in this respect as it appears in Chapter 75 of the Revisal. Major Graham has mailed this form to the commissioners of each county, so that they may have them for use or reference at their regular meetings next Monday. The proposed regulations follow:

"Regulations for the Management of Cotton Storage Warehouses in ..... County.

"There shall be an inspector for each township who shall be assigned to a designated warehouse and an assistant inspector for each of the other warehouses in the township. Each warehouse in the county shall have a name or number.

"Each inspector and assistant inspector shall give bond payable to the Commissioners of the county in such sum as they deem sufficient, for the proper discharge of his duties and the care and accounting for all cotton or other property which may come into his possession by virtue of his office, and shall take an oath of office as provided in Section 2360, General Oath Revisal 1905. He shall keep a record of each bale of cotton offered to him for storage by marking the bale with the number it bears in the delivery to him, and shall place the name of the person delivering it and the date of delivery and grade of the cotton in his book of record. He shall deliver to the party storing the cotton a receipt in substance as follows: "This certifies that John Doe has this day delivered to this warehouse for storage a bale of cotton which is marked No. 68 on the record and is subject to his order under the regulations which govern this warehouse, which shall be delivered to the owner when demanded."

"If there is a dispute as to the grade of any bale of cotton it shall be determined by the Standards adopted by the United States Department of Agriculture in accordance with the law relating to this matter.

"The charge for storing and receiving the same shall be ..... cents for each bale, and for each month that the bale remains in the warehouse shall be ..... cents payable in advance.

"The salary of the inspector shall be $..... for each month, to be paid out of the fees received by him, and he shall be allowed such additional compensation as is deemed necessary to properly conduct the business, but no warehouse shall be allowed more than the amount of its receipts for inspector and other expenses.

"The inspector shall pay to the County Treasurer each week all monies received by him, and he shall monthly report to the County Commissioners at their session the number of bales stored and the amount of money received. The Commissioners shall issue him a warrant for his salary, and other expenses to be paid by the Treasurer out of money received from him, which shall be kept as a separate fund.

"The owner of any certificate or receipt may endorse the same to any bank or other person as surety for the advance of money, and shall notify the inspector, who shall record in his book in connection with the record of such cotton 'Transferred to Richard Roe,' and notify the person making the advance that he has made this record, and the record shall be a lien on the bale or bales of cotton whose numbers are embraced in the notice. But such transfer shall not release the cotton from payment of all dues and expenses which are incurred in the storing or keeping of the cotton, but this in all cases shall be a first lien on the cotton referred to.

"The person storing the cotton may transfer the certificate to anyone to whom he may sell the cotton and the inspector shall deliver the cotton specified or make the transfer upon his record, and the option of this party.

"These regulations are made by virtue of following sections of Revisal of 1905—4637, 4638, 4671-73, 3592, 3580."

Lumina Tonight.

Last week-end dance of the season. Lumina closes Monday night.—advertisement.

NO ADDITIONAL CONVICTS FOR RAILROAD TO BOONE.

Council of State Turns Down Appeal of Promoters.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 3.—Governor Craig and his Council of State have decided that it will be impossible for the State to accord to the company constructing the railroad from North Wilkesboro to Boone, in Watauga county, any additional aid in the shape of convict labor, and will simply allow the force of 18 convicts now allotted to this enterprise on stock compensation basis to continue. The promoters have been pleading with the State authorities that in view of the strained financial conditions due to the European war their aid heretofore drawn fro moutside capital is practically cut off and the work at a standstill except for that being done by the 18 State convicts.

The road has been railed and put in operation from North Wilkesboro to Darby, a distance of 18 miles. There is much desire on the part of the folks in that territory to get the road through to Boone as speedily as possible. Quite a delegation has just conferred with the Governor and Council of State in an unsuccessful effort to get the additional aid from the State. Among those here were Prof. B. B. Rougherty, Capt. A. F. Lovel, of Boone; H. C. Landon, chief engineer of the Watauga & Yadkin River Railroad Co., in charge of the construction, and Prof. E. C. Willis, of North Wilkesboro.

It is expected that the Supreme Court will tomorrow (Friday) make public the list of the successful applicants for licenses to practice law who undertook the examination before the court on Monday. There were 98 examined, the largest class the court has ever had.

THE WAR KEEPS YOUNG MEN OUT OF COLLEGE.

Nevertheless, Wake Forest Has Good Opening and Bright Promise.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Sept. 3.—The 81st year for Wake Forest College promises to be a good one, judging from the apparent interest prevailing among the students who have matriculated this week. The old ones are nearly all returning and the freshman class promises to be rather large. It is a fact that some who would have returned were compelled to stay out this year on account of the general financial condition caused by the European war.

The new dormitory when finally completed will be second to none in this section of the country. The four stories of rooms are all conveniently arranged and artistically finished. The hardwood stained floors add beauty to their general appearance. The building throughout is equipped with running water and shower baths, and will be heated by steam.

The church, although properly speaking is not one of the regular college buildings, yet the students feel that it is, and perhaps this same feeling prevails over the State. The building when finished will add much to the beauty of the campus. It is hoped that it will be completed by January 1st, 1915.

Many changes have been made around the college since last commencement. New walks have been laid out; an athletic field on the northwestern side of the campus has been laid off; changes have been made in the chemistry building; steam heat and running water have been add to the old dormitory.

With the new buildings, better equipment and additions to the faculty, the year should be the best in the history of the institution.

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